Weather
Overcast and mild weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 76.5 and the minimum 55.9, figures for the corresponding day last year being 59.0 and 49.8.

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"The Pulse of this Great City and of China"

The Mail Box
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SPECIAL DAILY FEATURE

FINANCIAL AND TRADE ARTICLE

BY DAVID ARAKIE (Financial Editor)

R. E. BUCHAN JOINS BANKS OF EXCHANGE BROKERS HERE

Former Manager Of Asia Bank Enters New Field

BUYS OUT DEMETS

Tls. 50,000 Is Price For Seat In Association

In spite of the fact that trade at present is none too good and inter-bank brokerage on exchange contracts cut by half, namely from 1-8 to 1-16 percent, exchange brokers are able to dispose of their seats in the Foreign Exchange Brokers' Association to newcomers at a good figure. A new recruit to the exchange broking ranks is Mr. R. E. Buchan, the erstwhile manager of the Asia Banking Corporation, who, consequent on the closing of that Bank, has decided to stay on in Shanghai and ply the broking trade. He needs no introduction to our readers, for his popularity is particularly big among the American community. It is no secret that Mr. Buchan was largely instrumental in developing the business of the Asia Banking Corporation and making it a factor in the banking world of China.

When the Guaranty Trust decided to withdraw from the Oriental field and sold out the interests of the Asia Banking Corporation to the International Banking Corporation, Mr. Buchan was cabled from New York not to accept any new appointment until he received the offer of the Guaranty Trust by mail. This in itself is sufficient to show that Mr. Buchan was recognised to be an asset to the organisation, but he has decided not to accept the offer of the Guaranty Trust and to establish himself in business in Shanghai.

Mr. Buchan has accordingly bought out the interests of Mr. Demets, and may now be seen driving in a broker's trap. The price paid for Mr. Demets' seat was Tls. 50,000, the same as a young Italian gentleman offered Mr. Toledano not many months ago. From a lakh of taels paid a year ago by a certain broker, the price has dwindled down to Tls. 50,000. In all probability, with the "cut" in the brokerage put into effect on the first of this month, exchange brokers' seats will cease to command such a high sum.

It is interesting to see the trend among managers of banks and big hongs who give up their jobs to go into something else. The tendency is towards a drifting to the exchange broking field. In the ranks of the Shanghai exchange brokers there are many who have previously been in the local banks. This is but natural, for banking experience is quite helpful to anyone starting out business as an exchange broker.

Another Shanghai manager has decided to go into the Broking business. This is Mr. A. M. Bowes-Smith, who has been assistant manager of Messrs. David Sassoon and Co., and has just resigned his position to become an exchange broker. His field of operations will not be Shanghai but Hongkong. He left a few days ago for England in the P. and O. s.s. Khyber, and after a holiday in his home land he will return to Hongkong to establish himself as an exchange broker in association with another Hongkong broker.

In Hongkong the volume of

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HARRY THAW FINALLY WINS SANITY FIGHT

Jury Holds Him Competent To Handle Large Estate

(Reuter's American Service)

Philadelphia, April 22.—The jury at the enquiry into the mental condition of Harry Thaw, who killed the famous architect, Mr. Stanford White of New York, in 1903 and was subsequently incarcerated in lunatic asylums, declared him sane and competent

Harry K. Thaw.

to handle his large estate. His mother supported the claim of sanity, but his former wife, Evelyn, and the Thaw estate contested the case. The jury deliberated for seven hours. The opposition have moved for a new trial.

MUTT AND JEFF

Because of repeated requests from our readers who consider the Mutt and Jeff cartoons the funniest thing in pictures in existence we have made arrangements to publish two full pages of Mutt and Jeff cartoons each week. Mutt and Jeff in a whole page of fun appear on page 12 today. A full page will appear every Tuesday and Thursday in the future issues of THE CHINA PRESS.

BUSINESS IN JAPAN VOICES REGRET OVER U.S. ALIEN ACT

Resolutions Adopted By Chambers Of Commerce

URGE SOLUTION

Protest Also Made On U.S. Shipping Laws

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Kyoto, April 22.—The Federation of Chambers of Commerce throughout Japan at its annual meeting today adopted the following resolution: "We deeply regret the passing of the Japanese Exclusion Immigration Bill by the United States Congress, thereby seriously interfering with the traditional friendship and trade between America and Japan. We earnestly desire a satisfactory solution of this question for the sake of maintenance of peace in the Pacific Ocean and of the promotion of trade between the two countries." The resolution will be sent to the United States Secretary of State, Mr. Hughes, as well as to American Chambers of Commerce.

The Federation is also telegraphing another resolution to the International Chamber of Commerce in Paris, as follows: "Operation of the American Merchant Marine Act would disturb international trade relations and therefore we hope that you will use your best endeavors in abolishing this Act, based on the principle of equal treatment of members of the International Chamber of Commerce."

Mexican Revolt Is Finally Squelched

(Reuter's American Service)

Washington, April 22.—The Mexican Embassy announces that with the occupation of Progreso, Merida and other cities in the Yucatan peninsula the rebellion in Mexico has come to an end.

POLICE PARADE IS SCHEDULED FOR TOMORROW, 4 P.M.

Chairman Fessenden To Present Long Service Medals

A general parade and inspection of the police force will take place on the Recreation Grounds tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The force will be inspected by Mr. S. Fessenden, Chairman of the Municipal Council, who will also present Long Service Medals to several old members of the force. A march past in column and advance in review order will also be carried out by four companies each of Sikh and Chinese police.

The public is invited to attend the inspection. Enclosures will be reserved for official guests and their families and for past and present officers of the Volunteer force, the Police, and their families.

NEW ZEALAND HARD HIT BY WALKOUT OF RAILWAYMEN

Workers Throughout Dominion Go On Strike

TRAFFIC HALTED

Holiday-Makers Are Stranded Far From Homes

(Reuter's Service)

Wellington, N. Z. April 22.—Railwaymen throughout the Dominion have struck for higher wages. The whole service is at a standstill. A thousand Easter holiday-makers are stranded far from their homes. Motorcars are being pressed into service instead of the trains.

(Reuter's Service)

The mail service is being maintained by means of motorcars. Many industries are seriously affected. Locomotive drivers are the only railwaymen who have not yet struck.

SHARP NOTE ON LOAN STATUS IS HANDED PEKING

Powers Protest Non-Payment Of Unsecured Issues

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, April 22.—The ministers for Britain, the United States, Japan, and France held a meeting today at the American Legation in connection with China's unsecured loans. As a result of careful discussion lasting three hours, it was agreed to ask the Chinese Government to submit as definite answer as to what steps it is prepared to take towards the loans in question, as the ministers are of the opinion that the Chinese Government is not endeavoring to readjust and redeem its unsecured loans and loans with uncertain security. It was further agreed that in the event of the Chinese Government giving an unsatisfactory reply, another meeting would be convened at which to decide upon further steps to be taken by the Four Powers concerned.

Peking High Court Delays Action In Korniloff Case

(Exclusive China Press)

Peking, April 23.—The Peking High Court today informed a representative of THE CHINA PRESS that no action whatever had been taken to date on the Korniloff case.

Korniloff, sentenced to death for murder, appealed his case to the Peking authorities as soon as the death sentence had been confirmed by the High Court of the Three Eastern provinces.

GREAT CROWD SEES OPENING OF EMPIRE EXHIBITION

Huge Throngs Pack All Roads To Wembley

KING'S ADDRESS

Hope For Prosperity Of All Voiced By Monarch

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 23.—The following is the King's speech at the opening of the British Empire Exhibition:

"It gives me very great pleasure and satisfaction to come here today with the Queen for the purpose of opening the British Empire Exhibition. Our heartiest congratulations are due to the board of management, to the executive council and to all who worked with and under them for the marvellous organisation and industry which produced this triumphant result. I am well aware of the numerous adverse circumstances, including exceptionally unfavorable weather, which had to be faced. These were successfully overcome by arduous labors carried out with resolution and goodwill. Many who, like the Queen and myself, have seen the work in the earlier stages can appreciate to the utmost the skill and toil which have translated a magnificent conception into this splendid reality that now stands before us.

"I am happy to welcome the representatives, official and unofficial, of my dominions beyond the seas and to express the pleasure we all feel that they are taking part in today's opening ceremony. You have said that your object has been to produce a picture of our commonwealth of

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SING SONG HOUSES TO BE LICENSED, COUNCIL AGREES

Such Places Thus Exempted From Brothel Elimination Scheme

Sing song houses are to be allowed in the International Settlement under licenses distinct from brothel licences—as has previously been the condition—according to decision by the Municipal Council.

The Council received a petition by 25 shopkeepers in the Louza district praying that licences be issued in respect of the sing song houses in the Settlement.

The Commissioner of Police reported, states the Municipal Gazette, that these establishments are at present licenced compulsorily as brothels, that many of them have been closed as a result of the annual drawings, and that the remaining licences will expire on December 31 next. Many of these establishments have therefore transferred to the French Concession where they are licenced as such, distinct from brothels. In the neighboring concession, the cost of a sing song licence is $2 a year, and the monthly licence fee for each female singer is $10.

The petitioners contended that the closing of these houses in the foreign settlement will mean serious loss to their business. After examining the records on the subject, and hearing the views of the Commissioner of Police and the Prosecuting Solicitor, the Council has decided that sing song houses should be allowed in the Settlement under suitable licence conditions, and directions have been given accordingly.

WAICHIAOPU ASK CONFERENCE ON LINCHENG CLAIMS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 23.—In connection with the Lincheng claims, the Waichiaopu has asked the Diplomatic Body to confer with it on that question.

New Arms Conference Is Advocated By Coolidge

Physician Claims Cure For Tuberculosis

Dr. Thomas F. Noland, M.D.

A new treatment for pulmonary tuberculosis, whereby the disease is attacked through the building up of the fibrous tissues in the lymphatics of the lungs, has been announced to the medical profession by Dr. Thomas F. Noland, of New York City. During 13 years' study, he asserts, he has found that amorphous carbon and calcium salts, in powdered form, breathed into the lungs check the further advance of the disease. He is shown demonstrating the manner in which he introduces the powder into the lungs of his patients.

Steamship Damage Case Is Continued In U. S. Court

The case in which Mr. L. G. Husar is seeking G.$50,000 damages from the Pacific Mail Steamship Company for injuries alleged to have been received on the President Lincoln last year when he threw a medicine ball against an awning spreader which fell onto his head, was continued before Judge Milton D. Purdy in the U. S. Court for China yesterday.

Mr. F. J. Schuhl appeared for the plaintiff and Messrs. Stirling Fessenden and H. R. Snyder appeared for the defence.

Capt. P. Angus, and Capt. Huntington, experts called on behalf of the plaintiff, gave testimony as to the unsatisfactory design of the awning spreaders, both of them stating that though one end of each spreader was made fast—the outer end,—it would have been more safe had the inner ends been made similarly secure.

For the defence, Capt. W. I. Etsler, American Lloyds' Surveyor, testified that he had examined the spreaders in question and had come to the conclusion that it was a perfectly safe design, and one which could be used with safety. In answer to Mr. Schuhl, witness admitted that the fact that the spreader in question had been dislodged by the medicine ball might possible mean that the spreader was not in good shape.

Mr. Murphy, of the firm of Etsler Reeves and Murphy, gave evidence along similar lines.

Dr. W. G. Hiltner, gave evidence that he had examined Mr. Husar, and had come to the conclusion that the plaintiff's injuries were not so serious as the plaintiff's witness had attempted to show. He admitted however, that he did not make an extensive examination of Mr. Husar, and also that the X-ray films produced in Court would show if there had been a fracture of the skull.

Dr. S. A. Ransom, also gave evidence along similar lines.

Affidavits were also read on behalf of the defendant, made by Capt. Drennan, master of the President Lincoln, and the ship's doctor.

The Captain stated that Mr. Husar during the voyage, and after the accident, showed no serious signs of having been badly hurt. He took his share in the social activities of the ship, and witness had seen him dancing after receiving the injuries and before he reached Shanghai.

The ship's doctor, with whom Mr. Husar was playing at the time, denied that plaintiff was struck unconscious by the beam. He was stunned a little, but was not unconscious. He received a cut on the forehead about an inch and a quarter long. It involved skin and nerve tissues and also some muscle fibre, but did not involve the bone. The doctor dressed the wound and placed seven stitches in it. Mr. Husar slept well that night and also the following nights and complained of no serious effects of his injury, though he did express uneasiness as to any infection that might manifest itself, but on this point he was reassured by witness.

The case was continued.

MANY TO ATTEND DINNER TONIGHT FOR JUDGE PURDY

American Organisations To Be Hosts At New Carlton

A large number of members of the American community, both ladies and gentlemen, will gather at the New Carlton Cafe this evening for the dinner being tendered by local American organisations to Judge Milton D. Purdy, of the United States Court for China, and to Mrs. and Miss Purdy.

Many reservations have been made for the dinner and those wishing to attend but who have not yet made their reservations are asked to get in touch with Mr. D. J. Lewis, secretary of the American Chamber of Commerce, Dollar Building, without further delay.

The list of organisations participating in the dinner to Judge Purdy and family is as follows: American Chamber of Commerce (Shanghai); American Association of China, Far Eastern American Bar Association, China Central Committee of the American Red Cross, Gen. Frederick Ward Post of the American Legion, the American Company and American Troop of the S. V. C., Shanghai American School, American Club, Columbia Country Club, American University Club and American Baseball Club.

PRESIDENT IS SPEAKER AT LUNCHEON IN NEW YORK

Limitation Of Land Forces, Aircraft Advocated

PRAISES EXPERTS

Dawes Report Highly Important, He Says

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, April 22.—President Coolidge, in an address at the annual lunch of the Associated Press today, announced that with a definite settlement of German reparations firmly established he was in favor of calling another world conference to consider further limitation of armaments and modification of international law. The Washington Conference had done a great deal to restore international harmony and goodwill, but the questions of submarines, aircraft and land forces were still unsolved.

The President declared that the report of the expert committee under the chairmanship of General Charles G. Dawes was unsurpassed in importance since the Armistice, and he trusted that it would commend itself to all the European Governments interested as a method of arriving at a stable adjustment of reparations.

The speaker indicated that private American capital would be forthcoming for a loan to Germany.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, April 23.—A Washington despatch dated April 22 reports that speaking at the tiffin-party given in his honor by the Associated Press, President Coolidge stated to the following effect:

"We are opposed to war; we want peace. We hope that by mutual understanding, all the nations in the world will act in cooperation and harmony. We believe that treaties concluded between nations and international law are the eternal basis upon which our actions should be decided. These treaties and the international law are, I feel assured, the manifestation of our intention."

NAVY BILL TO BE TAKEN UP IN CONGRESS SOON

New York World Hits Plan To Build Six New Boats For Yangtsze Patrol

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, April 22.—Consideration of the naval appropriations bill, which provides for the reconditioning of six battleships, and the building of eight new scout cruisers and six new gunboats for service on the Yangtsze River patrol, will be taken up in Congress in the very near future.

Newspapers throughout the country are already commenting at considerable length on the provisions of the measure.

Commenting on the proposal for the construction of the six new river gunboats for the Yangtsze patrol, the New York World today asserts editorially that "the United States is evidently seeking an invitation to enter the patrolling business in China on a wholesale basis."

MacLaren Arrives At Bander Abbas

(Reuter's Service)

Bunder Abbas, April 22.—Squadron-Leader MacLaren has arrived here.

Services And Ball Mark St. George's Day Program

Britons in Shanghai, following their age-old custom, and in conjunction with other Britons all over the globe, celebrated St. George's Day yesterday with religious services in Holy Trinity Cathedral and memorial services at the Shanghai War Memorial, and wound up the day with a magnificent ball at the New Carlton last night.

Dean Symons of Holy Trinity Cathedral, Almoner of St. George's Society, conducted the religious services in the Cathedral at 8:30 o'clock after which a large number of members of the Society, headed by the President, Mr. W. H. Trenchard Davis, paid a pilgrimage to the War Memorial and placed a wreath in memory of the glorious dead.

BALL BIG SUCCESS

The St. George's Ball last night, capping the day's celebration, was the usual colorful and thoroughly enjoyable event—possibly more so than usual. The dance hall at the Carlton was appropriately and artistically decorated. The colors of the Empire swathed the pillars of the auditorium and the Union Jack and cross of St. George were prominently in evidence, while the shields of the counties were suspended from the pillars round about the floor.

The ceiling of the ballroom was beautifully decked with purple and white wisteria and the general effect was pleasing in the extreme.

At midnight there was the procession of the "Beef-eaters," and thereafter the hundreds of guests marched out to the supper tables, Mr. W. H. Trenchard Davis, president of the St. George's Society leading the way.

Following the procession, however, the assembly joined in singing "God Save the King," led by Mr. Butt.

The official guests of the Society were Mr. Colin Rutherford, President of St. Andrews Society and Mrs. Rutherford. Mr. L. M. French Beytagh, President of St. Patrick's Society and Mrs. Beytagh. Mr. T. J. Vaughan, President of St. David's Society, H. B. M. Consul General Mr. Barton, C. M. G.

Among the guests invited by Members were the following:—Colonel and Mrs. Gordon, Com. G. de Rossi, Consul General for Italy and Madame de Rossi, Mr. A. Wilden, Consul General for France and Madam Wilden, Mr. E. S. Cunningham, Consul General for United States and Mrs. Cunningham, Admiral Washington, U. S. Navy and Mrs. Washington, Mr. S. Fessenden, Chairman Shanghai Municipal Council, Judge Purdy and Mrs. Purdy.

THE COMMITTEE

The Committees for the Ball were as follows:—

Executive:—The President (Mr W. H. Trenchard Davis), Vice President (Mr. A. C. Clear), Messrs A. E. Baker, A. W. Brankston, C. Harpur, W. Nation (Hon Treasurer), Captain A. W. Dixon and Mr. I. H. C. Godfrey, Hon. Secretary to the Ball.

Reception:—The President, Vice President, Sir Skinner Turner, Sir Edward Pearce and the Very Reverend Dean Symons.

Decorations:—Messrs. R. E. Stewardson, C. Harpur, C. S. Taylor and P. H. Nye.

Floor and Music:—Captain A. W. Dixon.

Supper:—Messrs. A. E. Baker, A. Brooke-Smith, E. L. Allen, E. F. Goodale, O. M. Green, W. A. N. Heygate, R. C. Phillips and Captain Barrett (Beefeaters procession).

Refreshments:—Messrs. A. W. Brankston, P. H. Nye, R. I. Fearon and A. J. Welch.

Bridge:—Mr. A. C. Clear.

Traffic:—Major Hilton Johnson.

JUDGE BEGINS DISPOSING OF CIVIL CASES

Kelly v. Asiatic Motors Action Up This Morning

Judge Milton D. Purdy, the new judge of the United States Court for China, who has already disposed of all criminal cases on his calendar with the exception of one which has been held up through no action of the Court, has started hearing the number of civil cases that have piled up during the interim of Judge Charles S. Lobingier's departure and Judge Purdy's arrival.

Several minor matters have already passed through his hands and with the completion of the case of Husar v. Pacific Mail Steamship Company, Judge Purdy has began the process of disposing of a number of civil actions that have been on file for some time.

This morning at 10 o'clock he will begin cleaning the court calendar in earnest by hearing the case in which Mr. P. W. Kelly is suing the Asiatic Motors, Inc., for alleged wrongful dismissal.

Other cases which have been set for hearing in the near future are as follows:

April 30, Russo-Asiatic Bank v. Max Wulfsohn and Company, and China-American Trading Company v. The Fearon Daniel Company.

May 1, Chu Chin & Company v. Gilmore United Petroleum Company.

May 2, Frank A. Foster v. Gardner Crane.

May 13, Chemische Fabrick Griesheim Elektron v. International Banking Corporation et al.

May 15, J. P. Fonseca v. Muller & Phipps (China) Ltd.

May 20, Wong Chen Tai v. Shanghai Domino Company.

May 21, Lo Lee Sun v. Shanghai Domino Company.

May 27, Dowdall, Read & Tulasne v. Shanghai Building Company, Inc., et al.

Japanese Planes To Bomb Moving Target

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, April 14.—What are claimed will be the first attempts at bombing a moving target by the Japanese air arm will take place in June when the scrapped warship Iwami is destroyed outside Yokosuka.

The Iwami will be towed by another warship, and while she is in motion, an attack will be launched upon her by the bombing corps from the military aerodrome at Tokorozawa and the naval aerodrome at Yokosuka.

Mussolini Is Made A Freeman Of Rome

(*French Wireless through Reuter*)

Paris, April 22.—On the occasion of the anniversary of the foundation of Rome, Signor Mussolini was solemnly proclaimed a freeman (civis honorabilis) of the Eternal City.

Iowa Town Elects All-Women Ticket

Columbus Junction, Iowa, March 31.—An entire ticket composed of women was elected to office here today. Eva Breiz was elected mayor, Mary Moore, City Treasurer, and Nellie Moore, Assessor, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Jamison, Mrs. Schoiok, Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Richie were elected to the City Council. The women will serve two years. Residents here believe that Columbus Junction is the only city in the world that is ruled entirely by women. Columbus Junction is a village of 400 population in Louisa county.

MISSION MAKES NEW ATTACK ON GOVERNOR WOOD

Report On Philippines Is Outgrowth Of Prejudices, Filipinos Say

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, April 17.—Members of the Philippine Independence Mission today declared that in their opinion selfishness and stubborness caused Governor General Leonard Wood to cable to the War Department opposing independence.

General Wood is so given to prejudices that he can not view any question affecting the Philippines fairly, the members said and when the opportunity arose he did all that he could to cast suspicion and doubt in regard to the native people.

The statement said that the Mission and other delegates before it had endeavored for twenty-five years to combat prejudice and obtain a fair hearing on the issue.

Such a hearing was at last obtained they said and members of both branches of Congress had gone into the matter without feeling.

PREPAREDNESS NOT THE QUESTION

The message of General Wood they said coming at a time when preparedness for independence was not the question but rather the willingness of the United States to keep its pledge, would cast a serious doubt in the minds of Filipinos as to America's real intention.

Recently the Mission had been convinced that Americans as a whole consider it a national duty to give the Islands their independence despite even the statements of native delegates who for personal or political reasons took a stand against independence.

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LLOYD GEORGE OPENS ATTACK ON LABOR RULE

Denies Reports Of Quarrel With Asquith; Flays Laborites

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 22.—Mr. Lloyd George in a speech today at Llanfairfechan declared that it was absolutely untrue that there was a revolt against Mr. Asquith. There was, however, a revolt against the humiliating conditions under which the Liberal Party was expected to keep in power. Government that had never concealed its hostility towards the Liberals.

Labor speakers, the ex-Premier continued, had said that the Liberal Party was effete and done for. They were told that there would not be an election for two or three years: meanwhile the Liberals would be the oxen to draw Labor over the rough roads in Parliament and would finally be slaughtered. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, he declared, in three months had dissipated the stock of goodwill of those who had put Labor in office. The Labor Party should reconsider its attitude before it was too late.

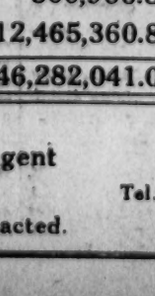
Peking Bolsheviks Now Turning Fire On Britain's Envoy

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, April 23.—A meeting of 200 persons at the Central Park yesterday, including some pro-Bolshevik Members of Parliament, regarding the arrest of the soldier who assaulted Mr. Campbell on April 13, passed eight resolutions some of which were pure nonsense while others revealed astonishing ignorance of the circumstances. The main points of the resolutions were that the members attending the meeting should telegraph to the British Government asking for the recall of Sir Ronald Macleay and urging the Chinese Government not to punish the soldier severely.

Mary Garden Asks U. S. Citizenship

New York, April 9.—Mary Garden, noted grand opera singer, today applied for the first citizenship papers. She said she was born in Scotland in 1877 and emigrated to the United States in 1883 and that she desired to renounce her allegience to the British government. She did not mention that her weight was 120 pounds as on the previous occasion of her arrival from abroad.



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Japan's Economic Board Holds Initial Sessions; Premier Kiyoura Speaks

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, April 14.—The newly constituted Economic Board held its first session on the 11th inst., when the members listened to an address from Viscount Kiyoura, the Premier.

Among the items of routine business transacted were decisions to hold weekly meetings, and to distribute the work of the Board among seven groups or committees which will deal with the following topics, Money, Trade, Agriculture, Industry, Social Problems, Colonisation, and Communications. The Chairmen for each group were appointed, and include Baron Sakatani, a former Minister of Finance, Mr. Raita Fujiyama, Chairman of the Tokio Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Takuma Dan of the Mitsui interests, and Dr. Soyeda, a former Minister of Communications.

Viscount Kiyoura, after explaining the raison detre for the reconstruction and enlargement of the Board, to replace all the hitherto existing organs of investigation, generally reviewed the present day conditions of the country.

He drew attention to the lamentable condition of the country's foreign trade, and the economic conditions resulting from the depression that set in soon after the conclusion of peace, threatening bankruptcy to many industrial concerns.

He deplored the present condition of agriculture, and the increasing tendency among the farming classes to leave the land.

He expressed alarm at the lack of stability in the thoughts and the habits of life of the people, as evidenced by the increase of social and industrial difficulties.

All these questions, he declared, were closely interlocked, and in order to restore stability to the country, he urged that they be carefully studied, together with the perfecting of the means of communication between the different parts of the Empire and the working out of a suitable and effective emigration policy for the people in the overcrowded sections of the country, which he considered one of the most important factors in the solution of Japan's social problems.

GUN TOTER JAILED

For being in possession of a loaded pistol, which he attempted to draw on a Chinese policeman in the Wayside district several days ago, a Chinese was sentenced to six months' imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday. The accused claimed that the weapon was the property of a watchman friend and the Court ordered a warrant to issue for this man.

Kodak Monopoly On Movie Films Broken

(*Exclusive China Press*)

Washington, April 22.—The Federal Trade Commission today handed down an order against the Eastman Kodak Company forcing them to dissolve an alleged monopoly in moving picture films.

The Eastman Company, the largest producers of moving picture and camera films in the world, was charged with having entered into an agreement with other and subsidiary companies by which they obtained a monopoly of the film business of the world, forcing prices up to their own figure and discriminating against certain moving picture companies in the purchasing of film.

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Shanghai, April 22nd, 1924.

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SOCIAL SERVICE REPORT MADE BY NANKING WOMEN

Club Section Hears Review Of Activities During Past Year

(China Press Correspondence)

Nanking, April 22.—A most interesting report of the Social Service Section of the Nanking Women's Club was given at the regular club meeting on Monday, April 21. The work planned last spring included the following activities:

A Travellers' Aid for women and girls in Hsiakwan, which has proved so far almost impossible to undertake, as it is very difficult to find just the right woman to have charge. Also the Y.W.C.A. has decided, after careful investigation, that it is not a wise thing for foreigners to handle such work in any city where there is no foreign court to back them up. It was decided to drop the plan for the present, but Miss Louise Hammond, of the American Church Mission in Hsiakwan, has offered to help in opening a small hostel where girls passing through might stop overnight.

A proposal has also been made to open bath-houses for women in certain sections of the city, preferably in connection with some mission work where it could have oversight. So far only the Fu Dung Community Church in the South City has replied favorably, but responses are hoped for from other centers.

The industrial work for indigent women took the form of a cross-stitch workroom where six or eight very needy women have been given occupation, and some very beautiful cross-stitch has been produced with local designs of the Drum Tower and Peichiko, but the suggestion has been made that, since there is already so much cross-stitch on the market, through some other form of work, such as the hooked rugs and the "feather work," a larger service could be rendered with no greater expenditure of time.

The "Scissors Alley" Clinic has been carried on twice a week since last November, with the help of Language School doctors and nurses, with a present average of fifty-five cases treated daily. The largest number of patients has been women, the next children and the smallest men.

The making of lingerie tape by charity patients in the University Hospital has given to a number of men a new hope in life, when they found that the loss of feet and legs would not prevent them from earning a living in the future. Eight men have earned $4.00 or $5.00 a week each and have, in this way, actually helped to support their families while in hospital.

The making of new clothes out of old scraps by destitute women has not only given them employment but has put on the market very cheap garments for the very poor. The problem is still the marketing of the goods where they will be of the most help.

General calls have come, first at Christmas time, to help with the Christmas at the Government Orphanage under Mrs. Chou, and, secondly, to share in the Health Week Exhibit early in May.

With much of the section work already running mechanically, new tasks are needed. Dame Adelaide Anderson, when visiting Nanking some time ago, suggested that, in connection with the work of the Industrial Relations Committee of the National Christian Council, a study of modern industrialism in China be made by means of a survey of Nanking as the local contribution to the general work of investigation all over China.

Clubwomen To Hear Talk On Culture Of The Yuan-Dynasty

Mrs. R. W. Davis will be the speaker at the Literary Department meeting of the American Women's Club on Friday, April 25. Mrs. Davis will speak on "Cultural Aspects of the Yuan Dynasty."

The speaker is well-known in Shanghai. Recently she published a book of her experiences on an extended trip on the Upper Yangtsze. This book, "The Great River," appears under her maiden name, Gretchen Mae Fitkin.

STANDS BY POINCARE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris April 22.—The President of the Chamber of Deputies, M. Raoul Peret, refusing to join with those candidates of the Department of the Vienne who consider M. Poincare an opponent of Republican institutions, has decided to retire. It is believed that he will stand for another department.

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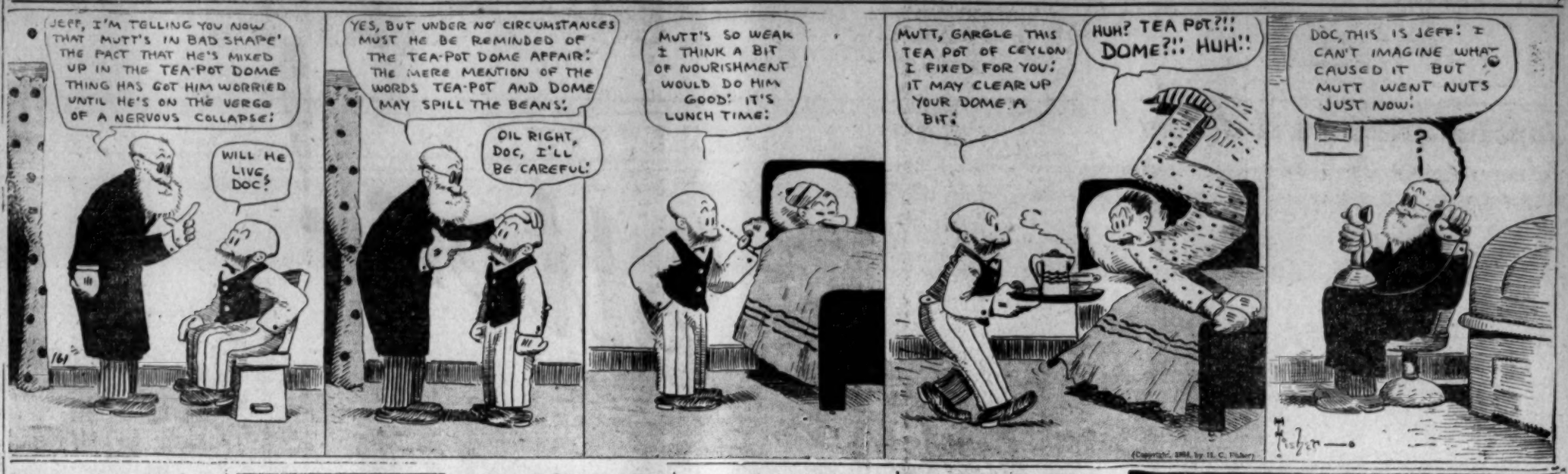
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WILL HE LIVE, DOC?
YES, BUT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MUST HE BE REMINDED OF THE TEA-POT DOME AFFAIR! THE MERE MENTION OF THE WORDS TEA-POT AND DOME MAY SPILL THE BEANS!
OIL RIGHT, DOC, I'LL BE CAREFUL!
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Egyptian Student Admits Slaying Of British Corporal

(Reuter's Service)

Cairo, April 22.—The student arrested at Heliopolis on Saturday has confessed that he murdered Corporal Ryan of the Air Force and has disclosed the name of his accomplice. He declared that his object was to create trouble between Zaglul Pasha's Ministry and the British Residency.

French Legation Maintains Stand In Note To Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 23.—The French Minister, in a note to the Waichinopu on April 16, maintains the attitude put forward in the last French Note with regard to the Russo-Asiatic Bank and the Chinese Eastern Railway. The note reviews academically and at length Dr. Wellington Koo's note and quotes several points in it, contending that they might be taken to support the French view. Reference is made to France not having recognised the Soviet and it is argued that the agreement with the Soviet regarding the bank and the railway should be classed as dealing with a third party, which Dr. Koo's note stated was not permissible.

Japan Will Issue New Treasury Bills

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 14.—Eighty-five million Yen's worth of 5 percent Treasury Bills will be issued for subscription on the 23rd inst. maturing on March 1, 1929.

The purpose of the issue is to redeem the issue of Treasury bills maturing on June 1, and for railway expansion.

The price of issue is Y.93 per cash and Y.92.50 as exchange for the maturing bills.

Three O'Clock Night At Del Monte Tomorrow

The Del Monte Cafe will remain open until 3 o'clock in the morning tomorrow, Friday night, according to announcement made by Mr. Thurman Hyde, the manager last night. For the special late closing night the popular cafe announces a cast of new artists to entertain guests and novelties. Mr. Hyde is particularly proud of the big supply of new American ham he received on the last President boat for the Del Monte's famous hamme and eggs.

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News Brevities

Two Chinese convicted on eight charges of burglary and of returning from expulsion were sentenced to seven and three years' imprisonment respectively by the Mixed Court yesterday and to be re-expelled.

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The keeper of an opium smoking den at 302-4 Avenue Edward VII was fined $40 in the Mixed Court yesterday and seven smokers were fined $2 each. The keeper of a similar establishment at 256-7-8 Chekiang Road was fined $50.

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It is announced that from May 1 the official office hours in all departments of the Council's service will be from 8.30 a.m. to 12 noon and from 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Saturdays, from 8.30 a.m. to 12 noon.

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Issy Mott, unemployed Russian, was sentenced to seven days' imprisonment by Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Loh yesterday for returning to the Settlement after having been expelled by the Court.

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Mrs. Rodger, wife of Mr. H. D. Rodger, the well-known American attorney, has returned from a six weeks' trip during which she visited Peking, Tientsin and Harbin.

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Reservations for the dinner to be given at the New Carlton for Judge Milton D. Purdy, Mrs. Purdy and Miss Purdy on tomorrow evening, can be made until noon today with Mr. D. J. Lewis, American Chamber of Commerce, Dollar building.

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Miss Amy Drucker, whose pictures are on exhibition in the British Women's Association rooms today and tomorrow, will be present at the "at home" in the Association rooms this afternoon and will give a short talk on "Appreciation of Pictures."

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The Civic Department of the American Women's Club will meet in the Club rooms this afternoon. A representative of the Y.W.C.A. will speak on the aims, ideals and achievements of the Association. Several business matters will also be taken up.

AGREEMENT REACHED

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, April 22.—The Giornale d'Italia announces that the negotiations with Britain with regard to the delimitation of Juba Land, which is to be incorporated in Italian Somaliland, have resulted in an agreement favorable to the Italian Government.

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HONGKONG BANK BURGLAR GIVEN FOUR YEAR TERM

Industrious Office Breaker Guilty On Nine Counts

Wong Sung-kwei, alias Zee Hong-yau, the industrious burglar of foreign and Chinese offices who was caught in a thrilling chase by watchmen and police several weeks ago after he had broken into the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, was sentenced to four years' imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday and on expiry of his term will be expelled from the Settlement.

When brought before Assessor Martin and Magistrate Kwan yesterday Wong faced nine separate charges of burglary, of which he admitted seven. The places broken into included the Hongkong Bank, Small Investors Company, Equitable Eastern Banking Corporation, Thomas Cook and Sons, the China Merchants' offices, Old Ningpo Wharf offices, the Chinese Post Office, a godown at 1 Kungping Road and Medhurst College. Money and property to the amount of over $1,500 was stolen from these places.

The accused admitted breaking into all of the places specified with the exception of Medhurst College and the Post Office, but Detective Sergeant Tinkler stated that fingerprints found after each of these robberies proved him to have been the offender.

SEEK NEW CONSUL

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Apr. 20.—As Mr. Shou Heng-chun, who was recently gazetted as Consul-General at Vladivostok, has been appointed Director of the Kiaochow-Tsinanfu Railway another Consul General for Vladivostok has to be found. It is reported that Mr. Pai Kuang will be given the post.

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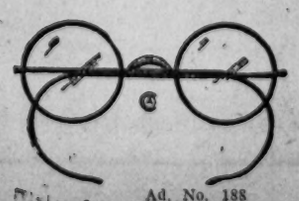
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Salvation Army In Japan To Be Made Independent Unit

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Apr. 14.—Towards the end of last year the Episcopal Church dioceses of Tokio and Osaka were created and Japanese bishops were consecrated to take charge of them.

The Salvation Army in Japan is shortly to become an independent unit of the world-wide movement, and will be put in charge of "Colonel" Gumpei Yamamuro, who at present is the Chief Secretary of the Staff in Tokio.

Colonel Yamamuro is shortly leaving for London, where he will spend six months in direct contact with Headquarters, and on his return he will be appointed to the chief command in this country.

Nine Killed In Accidents Here During March

Nine people were killed and 169 injured in 452 accidents that occured in Shanghai during March, according to the monthly report of Commissioner of Police K. J. McEuen. The same month a year ago 9 were killed and 146 injured in 369 accidents. 53 of last month's accidents were caused by trams, 214 by motor vehicles and 185 by other vehicles. Three were killed by trams, 5 by motor vehicles and one by another vehicle.

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Buchan Joins Banks Of Exchange Brokers

(Continued from Page 1)

exchange business is not as large as is in Shanghai. It could not be otherwise, for not only is Shanghai the commercial entrepot of northern and, in fact, all China, but it also has the largest crowd of gamblers in exchange in any Far Eastern town. The inter-bank brokerage in that colony is now on a par with the practice in Shanghai, although Hongkong was the first to cut the commission on sale contracts between banks and banks to 1-16 percent three years ago.

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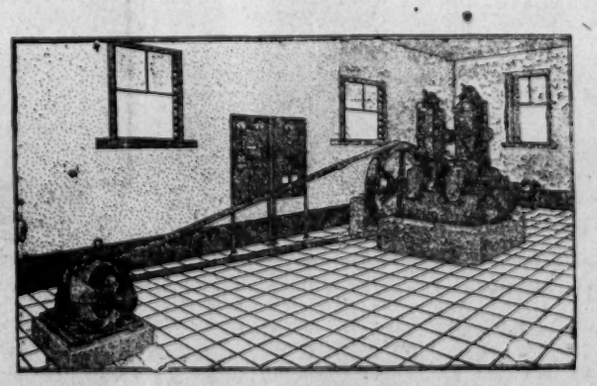
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Japanese Golfers Defeat Juniors In Third Annual Match At Hongkew Park

The annual golf match between the Junior and Japanese Golf Clubs was played Sunday at Hongkew Park, and resulted in a victory for the Japanese players by six points. By winning this time the Japanese scored their second victory against one for the Juniors.

After the struggle on the bunkered battlefield of Hongkew park the two teams went to Rokusan Gardens, where the Japanese soothed the injured pride of the Juniors by treating them to what Charlie Hopkins and Artie Barrett described as the most splendiferous assortment of eats that they ever dug a chopstick into. "And besides that," said Artie, "they had giesha girls around there thicker than missed putts."

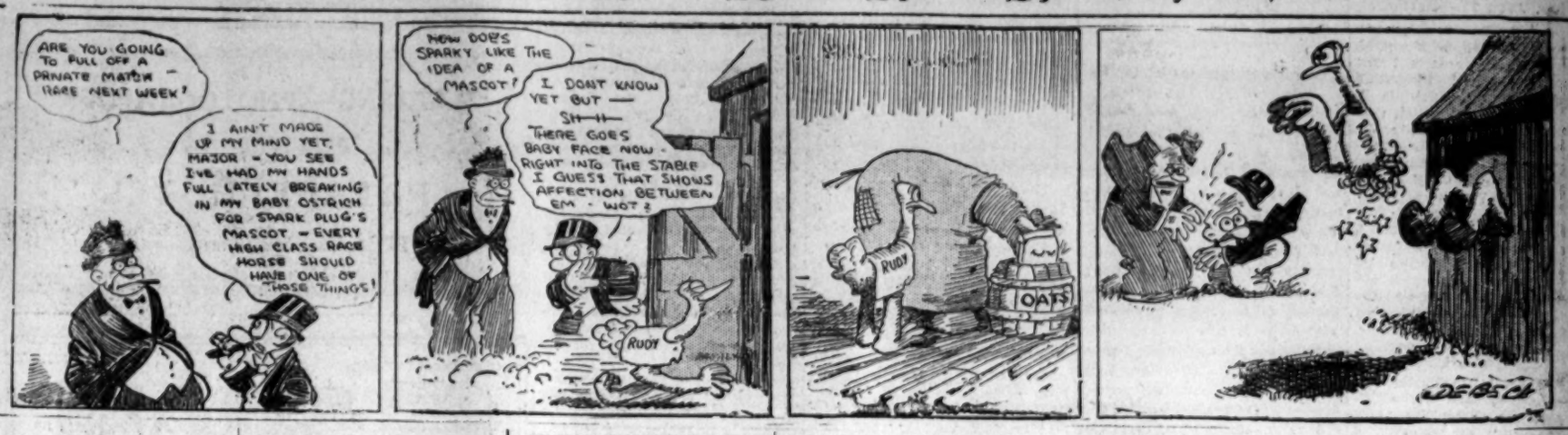
At the tiffin Mr. G. Tokunaga, president of the Japanese club, made a neat little speech, in which he said it had caused him and his fellow golfers the deepest pain to discover when the niblicks had cooled off and the scores were counted, that the Juniors had been licked. You can't beat those Japanese when it comes to tact and diplomacy. Mr. P. Ephgrave, president of the Junior club, responded.

After the oratory there were Japanese and European songs and following this the giesha girls gave exhibitions of Japanese dancing. The master of ceremonies was Mr. H. Ando and as usual he made a perfect job of his part of the affair. Mr. Ando is rapidly becoming the most popular individual in the whole Hongkew district. The scores:

JUNIOR GOLF CLUB	
C. H. Hopkins	1¼
F. H. Colam	1¼
W. Huggett (Capt.)	¼
G. M. Neal	¼
G. Norris	1¼
R. Squires	a/s
R. S. Duff	1¼
J. Ross	1
D. Smith	0
A. Braid	¼
A. E. Hayward	0
W. J. Kinnipple	¼
T. S. Parry	1
E. Judd	0
R. Berthey	0
F. Lloyd	0
E. J. Case	0
W. Lancaster	1
C. W. Hendry	1
G. E. Marden	0
E. M. Smith	0
J. E. Harvey	a/s
H. Rogerson	a/s
C. Young	0
F. B. Walker	1¼
J. F. Mortimer	0
W. Simpson	0
P. B. Crithley	0
A. Barrett	1
Total	12¼

JAPANESE GOLF CLUB	
H. Takeshita	0
K. Taniuchi	0
G. Tokunaga (Capt.)	1
H. Ando	1
S. Kikuta	0
T. Nomura	a/s
T. Watanabe	0
I. Takata	¼
H. Goto	1
M. Yamamoto	1
R. Shimasaki	1¼
K. Ishii	1
H. Mori	0
H. Kodaira	1
T. Fujioka	1
T. Kunugi	1¼
M. Ushio	1
Y. Morishima	0
H. Urakawa	¼
U. Imai	1¼
M. Omori	1¼
K. Wada	a/s
G. Sanui	a/s
H. Yamamoto	1
N. Ito	0
F. Ozawa	1¼
T. Tsukamoto	1¼
S. Myoshi	1¼
W. Togo	0
Total	18¼

BARNEY GOOGLE — By Billy De Beck


ARE YOU GOING TO PULL OFF A PRIVATE MATCH HERE NEXT WEEK?
I AIN'T MADE UP MY MIND YET, MAJOR - YOU SEE I'VE HAD MY HANDS FULL LATELY BREAKING IN MY BABY OSTRICH FOR SPARK PLUG'S MASCOT - EVERY HIGH CLASS RACE HORSE SHOULD HAVE ONE OF THOSE THINGS!
HOW DOES SPARKY LIKE THE IDEA OF A MASCOT?
I DONT KNOW YET BUT — SH-H-H THERE GOES BABY FACE NOW - RIGHT INTO THE STABLE I GUESS THAT SHOWS AFFECTION BETWEEN 'EM - WOT?
RUDY
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JAPANESE PICK STAR ATHLETES FOR OLYMPIAD

Swimmers And Track Stars For Paris Games Chosen At Trials

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 14.—Japan is to be represented at the Olympic Games in Paris this summer by eight track athletes and six swimmers, who were selected last night at the conclusion of the elimination trials which have been held in Tokio for the past two days.

These chosen representatives will be in addition to the Tennis Team already nominated and to Katsutoshi Naito, of Pennsylvania, who is to participate in the wrestling bouts as Japan's champion.

The following are the names:

Track and Field Events:

Sazago Tani (South Manchuria Railway Co.) 100 and 200 meters.

Katsuo Okazaki (London).

Tokushige Nando (Tokio Higher Normal College) 400 and 800 meters.

Kikunosuke Tashiro (Chuo University Tokio) 10,000 meters.

Shizo Kanaguri (Higher Gilr's School) Marathon.

Yahei Miura (Berlin) Marathon.

Mikio Oda (Hiroshima Higher Normal College) Jumping competitions.

Seiichi Ueda (Tokio Higher Normal College) Pentathlon, Decathlon.

Swimming Events:

Katsuo Takaishi (Waseda University) 100 meters free style.

Tsunenobu Ishida (Ibaraki Middle School) 200 meters breast stroke.

Kiyo Saito (Rikkyo Buddhist College) 100 meters back stroke.

Kazuo Noda (Hamamatsu Commercial School) 800 meters relay.

Torahiko Miyahata (Tokio Higher Normal College) 800 meters relay.

Kazuo Onoda (Meiji University Tokio) 800 meters relay.

Katsuo Takaishi, 800 meters relay.

Wrestling:

Katsutoshi Saito (Pennsylvania).

The following accompany the athletes in different capacities:

Manager, Ichiro Sawada.

Coaches, Gensaburo Noguchi, Den Sugiboto, Tadami Futamura, Shinichi Sato, and Toshihiko Morita.

Most of the party are expected to sail by the N.Y.K.'s steamer Katori Maru on April 27.

STEWART MAIDEN, JONES' TEACHER, EXPLAINS PITCH

Atlantic Golf "Pro" Tells How To Stop 'Em On The Green

All the great golfers are not great teachers. Stewart Maiden does not rank with the Vardons of his day as a player, but as a teacher he comes mighty close to standing alone.

The diminutive Atlanta professional developed, among others, Bobby Jones, present open champion, and Alexa Stirling, who shares with Beatrice Hoyt the honor of being the only woman to win the national title three times.

Maiden has no radical notions about the elusive science of golf. He teaches the game in much the same manner as it was taught to him years ago in Scotland, cradle of the ancient game.

Maiden does maintain, however, that every player can not swing a golf stick exactly the same, due to physical differences.

Perhaps one of the reasons why Maiden has been such a marked success as an instructor is that he builds the game around the individual rather than the individual around the game.

FINE IRON PLAYERS

Both Jones and Miss Stirling are skilled iron players. When you see them play a full pitch to the green you see the handiwork of Maiden. The full pitch from a distance of, say, 90 to 120 yards is one of the trickiest shots in golf. It can be a valuable stroke saver or a wanton stroke waster, depending upon the result.

Let Maiden tell you how he plays the shot. "The full pitch is played with the ball on a line with the left heel, and the weight somewhat on the left foot. The body is a bit forward of the ball at the address.

"The stroke itself is made with a threequarters swing. The wrists are kept firm from start to finish and the follow-through is natural and complete. A plain mashie with a fairly deep blade is the club to use.

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"The full pitch, played in the manner thus described, will stop with astonishing abruptness once it lands on the green. This is the natural result of playing a shot with the weight in a somewhat forward position.

"The ball and the clubhead meet while the stroke is moving downward as well as forward. This produces a shot of comparatively low flight and more than ordinary backspin. The shot should be played boldly and it will do no harm to take a thin layer of turf with it."

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Glenbuie Wins In Hankow Champions

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hankow, April 23.—The following is the result of the Hankow Champions run today:

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Hypolite	2
Flying Bat	3

SWEEP NUMBERS

Glenbuie	3019
Hypolite	7547
Flying Bat	1279

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(Reuter's Service)

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MANILA SEEKING FINE STADIUM FOR '25 OLYMPIC MEET

Philippine Amateur Federation Launches Campaign For Building

The Philippine Amateur Athletic Federation passed a resolution requesting the legislature to appropriate 500,000 pesos to be added to the expenses to be incurred in the construction of the Jose Rizal Memorial Stadium. The stadium, according to the resolution, will not only be used for athletic contests, but also for public meetings, pageants, demonstrations, military drill competitions, and other activities of the community.

The proposed construction of the mammoth playground is backed up by many, particularly Senate President Manuel L. Quezon, who is reported to have pledged support, and also Governor General Wood, one of the most ardent sports lovers in the Philippines. The stadium will cost approximately 1,000,000 Pesos, half of this sum to come from public contributions.

The resolution of federation, copies of which were sent to Governor General Wood, Senate President Quezon, speaker of the house of representatives and other members of the legislature, is as follows:

Whereas, the Seventh Far Eastern Championship Games will be held in Manila in the month of May, 1925.

Whereas, China, Japan and other countries will send athletic delegations to Manila for these games;

Whereas, the Philippine Islands has no adequate athletic field for the holding of the games;

Whereas, the Jose Rizal Memorial Stadium, sponsored by the Playground and Recreation Commission, will be a distinct and valuable public utility and will be a permanent and useful monument in honor and memory of Jose Rizal, the Filipino martyr and patriot;

Whereas, the Jose Rizal memorial Stadium will not only be available for athletic games and athletic contests, but may also be utilised for public meetings, pageants, demonstrations, military drill competition, and various other activities of the community, and will in every sense be a community center;

Whereas, it is a patriotic duty of the people of the Philippines to provide a suitable place for the holding of international athletic contests of the importance of the Far Eastern Championship Games;

Whereas, the estimated cost of the Jose Rizal Memorial Stadium is 1,000,000.00 pesos;

And whereas, the Playground and Recreation Commission intends to raise one half of the estimated cost of the Jose Rizal Memorial Stadium by public subscription:

Be it resolved, that the Philippine Legislature be requested to appropriate the sum of 500,000.00 pesos one half of the amount

Babe Ruth Gets First Home Run Of The Season

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, April 22.—Babe Ruth, the home run king, got his first home run of the season in Sunday's game against Washington when he connected with one of Walter Johnson's fast ones and knocked it over the right field fence in the eighth inning.

U. Of W. Rowing Crew May Meet Annapolis

(Exclusive China Press)

Annapolis, April 22.—Possibilities of a meeting between the rowing crews of the University of Washington, premier rowing aggregation of the West, and the Annapolis midshipmen were seen today when it was learned that the coaches have made a request to permit the midshipmen team to enter the Poughkeepsie regatta.

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U. S. Tennis Body To Again Discuss Tilden's Standing

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, April 22.—The American Lawn Tennis Association replying to Mr. W. T. Tilden, Jr., expresses surprise at his doubts regarding his eligibility and reiterates that he is qualified to play in the Davis Cup and Olympic teams. The Association requests him to attend a meeting of the former committee on April 25.

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The drawings are open to the public, and will take place on the 28th, of every other month at 2 o'clock p.m. at the Head Office of the Society under the supervision of its Managing Director or his Authorized Representative.

Notice:—Our second drawing takes place on the 28th April, 1924, at 2:00 p.m.

TRADE LOYALTY ADVOCATED BY PREMIER BRUCE

Australian Leader Cables Message On Opening Of Exhibition

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 22.—On the occasion of the opening of the British Empire Exhibition, Mr. S. M. Bruce, the Commonwealth Prime Minister, has cabled the High Commissioner for Australia in London a message which concludes: "Let us on this day, in the spirit that animated and sustained our fathers, pledge ourselves by loyalty to the Empire's products to build up on a lasting foundation of prosperity of every individual citizen a greater and a nobler Empire than we have yet known, one which, owing its existence to supremacy in the arts of peace, will remain the greatest factor in maintaining peace."

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 22.—On the occasion of the opening of the British Empire Exhibition, Sir James Stevenson has been created a baron.

Great Crowd Sees Opening Of Empire Exhibition

(Continued from page 1)

nations. No one can doubt that this has been fully attained. The exhibition may be said to reveal to us the whole Empire in little, containing within its 220 acres of ground a vivid model of the architecture, art and industry of all the races which come under the British flag. It represents to the world a graphic illustration of that spirit of free and tolerant co-operation which inspired peoples of different races, creeds, institutions and ways of thought to unite in a single commonwealth and to contribute their varying national gifts to one great end.

EMPIRE RESOURCES

"This Exhibition will enable us to take stock of the resources, actual and potential, of the Empire as a whole, to consider where these exist and how they can best be developed and utilised, to take counsel together as to how the peoples can co-operate to supply one another's needs and to promote national well-being. It stands for co-ordination of our scientific knowledge and common effort to overcome disease and to better the difficult conditions which still surround life in many parts of the Empire. Think, for example, of the scientific work accomplished in recent years for prevention and treatment of tropical diseases. And it is easy to imagine how greatly the Exhibition can contribute towards progress of our tropical territories and development of the yet unexplored capacities of the Empire.

"Our thoughts go back to the great exhibition of 1851 associated for all time with memories of Queen Victoria and the Prince Consort and to the Brilliant hopes of growth of international peace and friendship with which it was inaugurated. Our object here is not quite so ambitious and for that very reason, perhaps, we are more hopeful of attainment. We believe that this Exhibition will bring the peoples of the Empire to a better knowledge of how to meet their reciprocal wants and aspirations and that where brotherly feeling and habit of united action already exist the growth of inter-imperial trade will make the bonds of sympathy yet closer and stronger.

LASTING BENEFITS

"Business relations between strangers may or may not lead to friendship but cooperation between brothers for the better development of the family estate can hardly fail to promote family affection. We hope further that success of the exhibition may bring lasting benefits not to the Empire only but to mankind in general. No nation or group of nations can isolate itself from the main stream of modern commerce and if this Exhibition leads to greater development of the material resources of the empire and to expansion of its trade, it will at the same time be raising the economic life of the world from the disorganisation caused by the war.

"I declare the British Empire Exhibition open and I pray that by the blessing of God it may conduce to the unity and prosperity of all my peoples and to the peace and well-being of the world."

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 23.—Overcast and chilly weather in no way damped the enthusiasm of the cosmopolitan crowds visiting the British Empire Exhibition. Hundreds of thousands of people were surging to Wembley from six in the morning in continuous series of special trains packed to suffocation. The roads were crowded with omnibuses and motors. Innumerable schoolboys and girls were among the earliest arrivals. The scenes at the Exhibition defied description. An army of workers, including the clerical and managerial staffs, were very busy throughout the night with the final stages of clearing up. Scarlet bands were massed outside the Stadium at an earlier hour and the huge white-robed choir was already in position facing the Royal scarlet, gold and purple Dais.

Their Majesties arrived at 11:30 and were greeted by a tremendous round of applause which drowned the fanfare of trumpets. Their Majesties were received on the richly carpeted Dais by the Prince of Wales as the President of the Exhibition, who had arrived earlier, and presented the address.

The Prince of Wales, in asking His Majesty to declare open the Exhibition, referred to the Exhibition as a picture of our commonwealth of nations. He truly believed that it would suggest to the world that the most powerful agency of civilisation had its heart set upon peaceful aims and the good of mankind. In expressing gratitude to the organizers and others, including the representatives of the Dominions, India and the Colonies, the Prince said that the great work had been carried through with splendid loyalty and energy. In conclusion the Prince of Wales hoped that the result would be to impress vividly upon all the peoples of the Empire to work unitedly and energetically to develop the glorious heritage for the benefit of the British race, for the benefit of the other races which accepted our guardianship and for the benefit of mankind generally.

The Prince of Wales wore Naval uniform and received a great ovation, the vast audience stood and the bands played the National Anthem. The Dais on which the Diplomatic Corps, the Cabinet Ministers and the High Commissioners were seated presented a brilliant color scheme with officers and soldiers of numerous regiments, including Indian, African and every conceivable kind of uniform. The whole was flanked by flower beds and fronted by very green lawns.

His Majesty replied to the Prince of Wales in the speech already cabled, which was transmitted by gigantic loudspeakers to every part of the grounds and was broadcasted to every part of the country.

The conclusion was marked by a renewed outburst of cheering and waving of hats and handkerchiefs which was followed by a salute of 21 guns. Simultaneously 300 flags, representing all parts of the Empire, were broken and fluttered in the breeze.

Their Majesties received a number of engineers and workmen. The King was presented with a memento in the form of a gold model of the world. The Colonial Secretary's daughter presented the Queen with a bouquet. The band and choirs played and sang British music and the massed bands joined in playing "Rule Britannia," which the spectators rose and sang as Their Majesties departed.

The exhibition was most brilliant. The most enthusiastic period was the appearance of Their Majesties in the arena with a glittering escort. There were four State carriages with four horses apiece. The King wore Naval uniform and the Queen wore a fur cloak. The bands crashed the National Anthem as they alighted. There was profound silence when the slight figure of the Prince of Wales rose from the Dais. The Prince's words were pronounced in sharp tones throughout the great arena followed by hand-clapping. Then the King read his reply. Every word was heard with very great clearness. After that the Bishop of London offered a prayer. Then followed the salute of guns There was a pretty incident at the close of the ceremony when a telegraph messenger ascended the Royal Dais with a large letter informing the King that the Royal speech went round the world in 100 seconds. The boy was loudly cheered as he crossed the arena.

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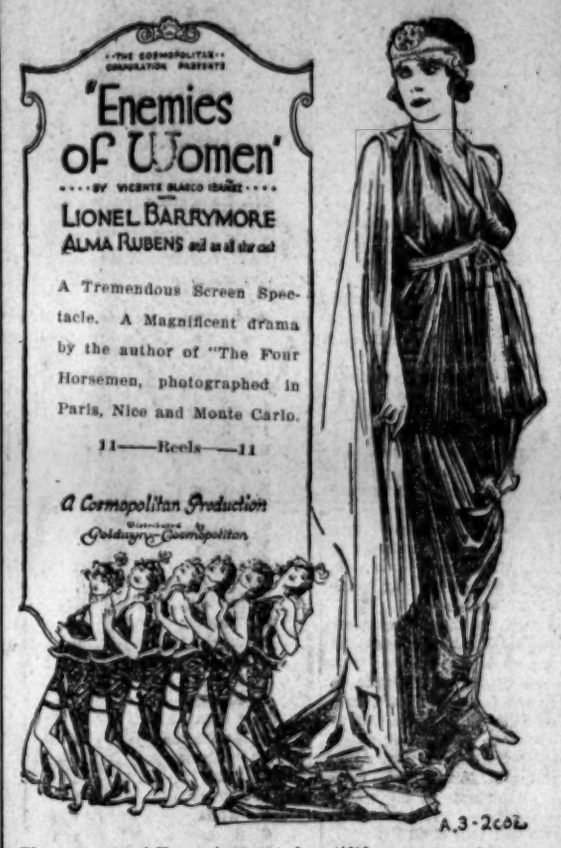

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Y.W.C.A. Launching Drive To Raise Fund Of $130,000

The finishing touches were put to the final plans for the campaign for funds for the Y.W.C.A. in Shanghai at a tiffin yesterday at the New Carlton, at which more than 250 people who are interested in the drive were present.

The campaign opens officially today, and the drive for $130,000 for the purchase of land and buildings for the Chinese "Y" at 61 Range road, and two years' running expenses for both the Chinese and the Foreign "Y" will continue for a month.

Five teams of nearly 200 workers, about evenly divided between Chinese and foreigners, will canvass Shanghai, and it is hoped that the response will match the enthusiasm of these workers.

The first gift to the campaign was made yesterday, when Mrs. O'Ben, a prominent Chinese business woman who is connected with the Wee-Wee Company, and has affiliations with several banking interests here, presented $5,000 as her share to the fund. Mrs. O'Ben is the widow of the former manager of Sincere and Co. and is one of the most progressive Chinese women in the country.

Mrs. O'Ben was present at the tiffin yesterday, as were several other prominent Chinese and foreign men and women. The tiffin was given in the supper room of the New Carlton, which was decorated for the occasion. Long tables were laid and arranged so that the various divisions of workers could be seated together. Their places were designated by cards that were cut in the familiar triangle shape. On the blue bordered triangle was the Chinese character representing the division, in each of the five colors of the Chinese flag which the teams have adopted. Thus the business women's division was seated at that part of the table marked by cards on which was drawn the Chinese character for "business" in black ink; others were in yellow, red, blue, etc.

ADDRESSES GIVEN

The tiffin followed a blessing, then Mr. H. Y. S. Zia, who presided as master of ceremonies, made a short address introducing Mrs. T. T. Wang who explained the aims and work of the "Y" in Chinese. She was followed by Mrs. S. M. Woo, wife of Dr. Woo of the Council on Health Education, who spoke in English. Both Mrs. Wang and Mrs. Woo are well-known in Shanghai for their activities. The former is one of the earliest board members of the Shanghai "Y", is chairman of the Social Service department, and a member of the Shanghai Women's Club. Mrs. Woo is president of the board of directors of the Shanghai "Y" and is a graduate of Radcliffe college in the United States.

After the talks there were informal playlets depicting the methods of the "Y" workers in the campaign. These playlets were presented by the Chinese and foreign "Y" workers. The first showed a group of Chinese men in an old-fashioned silk shop. A Chinese girl secretary of the "Y" and a foreign secretary entered the shop and made a request of the proprietors for aid in the funds campaign. The old-fashioned Chinese, utterly opposed to new ideas were obstinate, but in the end were won over to a generous gift by the clear presentation of the good the "Y" is doing.

NOVEL INDICATOR

A feature of the campaign will be the huge indicator to mark the progress of the campaign. This indicator, made by the B. A. T., shows a Chinese and a foreign girl, representative of each team, hand in hand, making their way along paths which diverge at the wide-open doorway of the Y. W. C. A. as in the wall of an attractive Chinese building. The flag floating from a pole behind the wall bears the campaign quota figures, $130,000. The idea is that each team as it collects its proportion of that quota will put the color into the flag, each team its own color, and as each pair of girls move toward the doorway, the color of her team which is to go toward making the flag, appears on the path where she has walked. This large painting will be set up at Campaign headquarters, 61 Range road, where the workers will meet twice a week, Monday and Thursday afternoons, to report progress.

Among those present at the tiffin were committee members including Mrs. C. W. Atkinson, Mrs. O'Ben, Mrs. A. H. Hilton Johnson, Mrs. T. T. Wong, Mrs. S. M. Woo and Mrs. James Yard. Advisors present included Mr. Tso Bing Chang, Mr. Ponson C. Chu and Mr. P. Lister Knight.

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Mrs. Emma G. Cromwell

Mrs. Emma Guy Cromwell, elected Secretary of State of Kentucky, has just taken up her official duties at Frankfort. She is the only woman in the United States to hold this high elective office.

Skipper Of Two Shamrocks Dead

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17 WORLD'S TRACK MARKS LOWERED IN NEW SEASON

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Seventeen world's record performances marked the 1922-1924 indoor track and field season, one of the most spectacular in years. Only twelve new marks stand on the books, however, for record-shattering feats in several events were later eclipsed during the season.

Competition was keenest in the hurdles in which four records fell. Especially brilliant were the performances of Charles Elliott jr., Phillips-Exeter student, who set a new 45-yard high hurdle mark of 5 4-5 seconds, and McCullough Keeble, University of Missouri, whose remarkable time of six seconds for the 50 yard high hurdles lowered a month old standard set by Karl Anderson, Illinois Athletic Club, national champion.

Perhaps the greatest combined attack on time, however, occurred in the 80-yard high hurdles at the Wilco Athletic Association meet in New York, when the world's record was twice broken and then tied, in displacing a mark that had stood for thirty-seven years. Tom Farrell, Newark Athletic Club, set the record-shattering pace, but his time was beaten by Charles Barkes, West Point cadet, whose figure of 10 3-5 seconds was equalled by Carl Christiernson, Newark Athletic Club, winner of the final heat. Christiernson accounted for the other hurdle record, 7 3-5 seconds for sixty yards.

Two sterling field performances were recorded by Harold M. Osborne, Illinois Athletic Club, who leaped to a new high jump mark of 6 feet 6 inches, and Dean Brownell, University of Illinois, who pole-vaulted 13 feet ¾ inch.

Joseph Tierney, Holy Cross runner, showed himself one of the best Olympic middle distance prospects with a record of 58 seconds for 500 yards, while the veteran Jake Driscoll, Boston Athletic Association, and Schuyler Enck, Penn State star, established records of 50 2-5 seconds for 400 meters and 1:54 4-5 for 800 meters, respectively.

Loren Murchison, national sprint champion, set a mark of 10 seconds for 100 yards, but it tumbled a fortnight later when Louis Clarks, Johns Hopkins, broke the tape in 9 4-5.

Mercersburg Academy set a new one-mile interscholastic relay standard of 3:33 4-5, while the women's quarter-mile relay figure twice was lowered, first by the Meadowbrook Club, of Philadelphia, and later by the City Bank Club, New York, to 54 1-5 seconds.

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Daily Mail Still Doubtful Of Berlin

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Soochow Invaded, Captured But It's Peaceful Occasion

(BY G. R.)

Soochow was invaded and captured yesterday, Tiger Hill Pagoda capitulating at 12:01, when the Red Triangle flag of the Navy "Y" was raised over the victors and the battery of kodaks began to shoot.

It was a peaceful invasion, the attacking forces being from the U. S. S. Huron under the guidance of the Navy "Y". As is was not considered a dangerous expedition, several ladies accompanied the party, and report has it that they have no cause to be ashamed of their records.

Leaving Shanghai at seven o'clock, Soochow was reached a little before nine, and then the fun began. The Secretary had distributed numbered tickets, and as we thronged through the station exit, the game of "choosing your partner" occupied attention for the next few minutes, the "partner" being the donkey destined to bear one (more or less) safely through the delights and trials of the next seven or eight hours. Being a game of chance, short people found themselves confronted by tall donkeys, while tall people, unused to donkey-riding looked askance at what Fate had awarded. Donkey boys waved numbers wildly, excited gobs mounted hastily and we were off in a bunch.

CASUALTIES REPORTED

The first casualty was when a gentleman in blue parted company with his mount suddenly—but it was only an incident and occasioned no delay.

The gobs were just "spoiling" for a race, but the donkeys were not so enthusiastic, and even the combined efforts of gob and donkey boy could not stage a really thrilling event.

Although the start was "off in a bunch," by the time Mandarin Garden was reached there were the main guard and straggiers, and by the time the second detachment arrived the first-comers were already posed in graceful groups and the kodak battery was in action.

Re-mount and off to the Temple of Five Hundred Gods—count 'em. We didn't, as no one disputed the guide books and besides, Tiger Hill was still ahead. But every one enjoyed trying to analyse the expressions of the huge images, and as the guide folders did not give any information, there were some wild guesses. I saw one haze figure playing some stringed instrument which might have been the ancestor of the ukulele—that Hawaiian musical product now being heard in every clime.

Ahead lies Tiger Hill! So up and at 'em again. By streets and lye-ways, up stairs and down, the patient donkeys walked, trotted and climbed, until we wondered if the Tiger had taken his hill and fled before our advance. But we got there, just in time for a final climb (afoot) to the viewpoint near the pagoda before him. Some of the more venturesome spirits even stormed the pagoda, but failed to reach the top.

ADVANCE ON "EATS"

Down on the big rock the boys were busy setting out a substantial lunch, and when the big "Y" flag went up every one gathered for another group picture, and then a final attack was made—on the "eats." Everything was good, all appetites were present and, oh, such good hot coffee! And the donkey boys had their share.

Some of us were not so keenly enthusiastic about our donkeys by this time, but the gobs were fresh as ever—and still strong for the "four-footed Fords." It's a little longer coming back from Tiger Hill, and casualties increased. In fact, it was quite good form to suddenly detach oneself from ones donkey and watch the crowd go by—the scenery looks so different viewed from different angles. No gob would own up to it, but I'll wager I wasn't the only one in the party who welcomed the half-hour rest at the pleasant "Y." And there was quite a crowd of us who preferred walking to the City Temple and letting the donkeys go by themselves.

More gods at the City Temple, and then donkeys again. By this time we were comparing notes as to who was most graceful in dismounting hastily. But the gobs were still going strong and urging on their fiery steeds. Now up again for the ride to the Great Pagoda. More streets, very narrow, up and down steps so steep that one wondered how the donkeys could keep footing. When we reached the great pagoda, there were about thirty members of the party who still retained enough of their original enthusiasm to climb to the top of the structure and enjoy the wonderful view.

RETREAT SOUNDED

At 4:02 p.m. the last straggler dashed madly up to the station and, pursued by cries of "cumshaw," reached the safety of the special waiting to take us back to Shanghai.

It was a great day!

Did it rain? What's a little rain to men of the navy?

The guide book says: "The streets are paved with small stones, raised in the center, and in the rainy season are very slippery." This explains why my donkey sat down without warning and why I sat down in the middle of one of Soochow's busiest boulevards and so brought a bit of happiness into the lives of the shopkeepers in that vicinity and their numerous progeny. Oh, well! We ought to do all we can to make others happy.

It was a great day!

EASTER IN PARIS

(*French Wireless through Reuter*)

Paris, April 22.—Favored by fine weather, the Easter holidays saw the exodus of a great number of Parisians into the country, whilst 150,000 foreigners visited the capital.

Municipal Staff Changes

The following changes in the Municipal staff are reported in the Municipal Gazette:

Police Force.—Long leave is granted to the following:—

Inspector B. J. Selvey from May 12, 1924.

Sub-Inspector W. Robertson from May 1, 1924.

Sergeant W. Slater from May 10, 1924.

The following are appointed Temporary Constables:—

C. W. Utkin.

N. A. Alexandroff.

I. A. Boulanin.

N. Miropolsky.

Constable J. J. Gavan is promoted to be Sergeant with effect from April 23, 1924.

Public Health.—The resignations of Probationer Nurses H. M. Tomlin and Z. Ivanoff-Rinoff are accepted, with effect from April 16 and April 30, 1924, respectively.

Public Works.—Sanitary Overseer C. W. Norman is transferred to the P. W. D. Staff as Assistant Inspector from May 1, 1924.

Electricity Dept.—During the absence of Mr. T. H. U. Aldridge on long leave, Mr. C. S. Taylor, Deputy Engineer-in-Chief and Manager, will undertake the duties of Engineer-in-Chief and Manager.

Mr. A. Payne, Yard Foreman, is transferred to be Sub-station Attendant, from April 1, 1924.

Public School for Girls.—Miss J. M. Robinson, Superintendent Matron in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, is transferred to be Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls from May 1, 1924.

Massages 'Dead' Girl's Heart And Revives Her

Sunbury, Pa., March 20.—Revived after her heart action and respiration had ceased for a half hour, Miss Mary Marcolific, twenty years old, of Kulpmont, is likely to recover at the Shamokin State Hospital, Dr. George W. Reese, chief surgeon, said tonight.

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The newspapers this morning publish articles eulogising the bravery of those killed, and also print their full diaries.

Japanese Diet To Meet On June 25

(*Eastern News Agency*)

Tokio, April 23.—It has been unoffically decided that the special session of the Imperial Diet to be convened following the approaching parliamentary elections will be opened on June 25, lasting three weeks.

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Mighty Caliphate, Unbroken Since Death Of Mohammed, Smashed By Mustapha Kemal

White Heat Of Nationalism Instead Of Religious Fervor Inflames The Hearts Of Modern Islam; Founded In 632; Republic Inspired By Modern Ideals Takes Place Of Old Order That Reeked With Atrocities

BY PETER VISCHER

Men's hearts and souls are again aflame in Islam, but it is a curious and unfamiliar color with which they blaze. It is the white heat of Nationalism. How gently glow the red fires of religious fervor which leaped into the world's sky for more than thirteen centuries, at times with such ferocity as to threaten utter destruction, may be judged from this—the Caliphate has been abolished.

The Turkish National Assembly at Angora on March 3 declared the Caliph deposed and the Caliphate abolished. A few years ago one might as well have dreamed of the Roman Senate announcing the Pope dethroned and the Papacy no longer existent.

NOT A SURPRISE

But now the action of the Turkish Nationalists does not come as a surprise. In November of 1922, Mustapha Kemal, Turkey's new hero, and his Assembly abolished the Sultanate and, for the first time since the death of Mohammed, in 632, separated the Sultanate from the Caliphate—severed the temporal powers of the ruler of Islam from the religious.

On that eventual occasion—eventful because it marked the end of what had once been the most glorious combination of state and church the world had ever known—Sultan Mohammed VI, was sent into exile. His son, Abdul Medjid Effendi, was elected Caliph. And now, not because he wasn't friendly to the Nationalist cause, but because it was thought the time had come when the Caliph could be cast away without arousing too serious objection, he too has been dropped.

Mustapha Kemal is supreme in Turkey. Because he is the leader of a great stirring movement, the Nationalist movement it matters not what else he may do. He can be Sultan and Caliph in one if he wants to. But he prefers to be President of the Republic of Turkey, a republic on the upgrade. So it matters not what he did with the dying Caliphate, any more than it mattered what he did with the dead Sultanate.

What effect the ending of the Caliphate will have on Mohammedanism remains to be seen. Perhaps the fervor of the Nationalist movement will give that great religion, which rules a world of 219,030,000 persons, a new life, just as, for many centuries the fervor of a spreading Mohammedanism gave increasing vigor to the medieval empire of Islam.

RESUSCITATES RELIGION

The religion for many long years invigorated the empire. Perhaps now the aroused nationalism of the empire—it calls itself a republic—will resuscitate the religion. Certain it is that church and state, as expressed in a combined Sultanate and Caliphate, lived and grew for many centuries; probably now, expressed in a National Assembly, it can live and grow for many more.

The world is watching. Indeed, the two greatest in control of Mussulman countries—England and France—are so concerned over the outcome that they are nominating rival candidates for the empty post of Commander of the Faithful. England would like to see victorious its vassal, King Hussein of Hedjaz, who rules over the sacred City of Mecca. France favors the Sultan of Morocco, Mouley Youssef, its friend and protege.

Mustapha Kemal, it is understood, ignores these claims. He has frankly washed his hands of the Moslem political scheme and would be satisfied to have half a dozen fights for the post he has had legislated out of existence, hoping that their squabbles would successfully put an end to its dying gasps.

Said Bay, Turkish Minister of Justice and an authority on Moslem religious law, has indeed announced that there is no authority in the Koran to justify the existence of the Caliphate; he holds that it was an extraneous political growth entirely without the divine inspiration generally attributed to it.

The Koran, it will be remembered, is the Scriptures of the Mohammedans containing the professed revelations to Mohammed, which forms the basis for the religious, social, civil, commercial, military and legal regulations of the Mohammedan world.

A FLEXIBLE CREED

The Koran is the sole inspiration of Mohammedanism, which, despite its uncompromising dogmatism, is the most flexible of modern creeds. Probably no religion, with the possible exception of Hinduism, can match Islam for its variety of practice. That is perhaps a logical legacy for having absorbed too rapidly a great many backward races.

Superhuman efforts are now being made to reconcile to Islamic agreement the undigested and backward elements absorbed by the religion in its march. It has become an easier task since the Young Turk movement, since the successes won by Mustapha Kemal at Angora, at Lausanne and at Moscow.

W. G. Tinckom-Fernandez., in a recent criticism, made this summary of the situation:

"No religion of the modern world was so profoundly influenced and so intimately involved during the late war as Mohammedanism. Prior to the war it was struggling against the disintegrating influences of the twentieth century. In Africa alone was appreciable progress being made. The power of an aggressive monotheism, based upon strong democratic principles, which has never known a color discrimination, has proved irresistable in Africa.

"But with the war, Mohammedanism, already vexed by modernistic influences in Egypt and Turkey, underwent its most rigorous trials. On one hand was the fanatical superstitious Moslem of Arabia, whose Turkish suzerain had long lost communal respect. On the other were the Indian Moslems of the British, as well as those ruled by France and Russia, sensible of the danger of extinguishing the corrupt Turkish state."

FACES A REAL-TEST

But Mohammedanism came through the war and since the end of the war has made astounding steps forward—thanks to Mustapha Kemal. He has won victories without the sword, the sole instrument used by Mohammedans who preceded him. He has won a social and a moral as well as a political victory over an overwhelmingly fanatical population under the principles of Western democracy.

Now Kemal faces a real task. He must hold together the people of Islam with a religious directory governed by the Turkish Assembly. This will be easy enough with the Turks, for they are wild with enthusiasm for his nationalist dream. But whether he can hold other peoples, many of them hostile to the Turks, in religious unity without the Ottoman Caliphate is something that is still to be determined. Already the Albanian Moslems have broken loose, declaring that no true Caliph has existed since Mohammed.

Mohammed founded Islam, which became at once the oldest, most fundamental and, in essence, the most enduring of the institutions of Islam. Mohammed enjoyed absolute rule over his people as a divinely inspired and guided prophet, akin, he believed, to Christ and Abraham. He led prayers. He acted as judge. He ruled. If he consulted with others or paid any attention to public feeling, it was as a matter of policy; the ultimate decision rested with himself. He was the state.

Upon Mohammed's death in 632 he was succeeded by Abu Bekr, his most trusted follower, who became Caliph, or "successor," later also commander or the faithful. He was an absolute ruler, though he was democratically elected by the Moslems. He administered Islam and his word was law. He directed everything, though theoretically Islam is built on just five principles: That there is no god save one, and Mohammed is his prophet; prayer, the poor-rate, pilgrimage and fasting.

CHARTERED PLUNDERERS

Abu Bekr kept intact the Islam of Mahommed, which came into existence by the sword, following Mohammed's preaching and revolting against the worldliness of Mecca and Medina, by keeping his warlike followers busy plundering outside his dominions. Omar, who followed him, extended Islam for many miles; he seemed to think that Moslems were the chartered plunderers of the world. Omar pushed the Byzantine Empire out of Syria, overran Armenia, conquered Egypt and reconquered Persia, even captured Jerusalem.

In the next 125 years Islam spread itself from the Indian Ocean to the Atlantic and Spain and from the borders of China to Upper Egypt. The new faith carried the Arab idea and the Arabic scriptures before worldliness, the old trading and plundering spirit and the clamour of the silk robe.

H. G. Wells says that "if the reader entertains any delusions about a fine civilisation, either Persian, Roman, Hellenic or Egyptian, being submerged by this flood, the sooner he dismisses such ideas the better." Islam, he maintains, prevailed because that was the best social and political order the times could afford.

However, while the armies of Islam were advancing triumphantly to the conquest of the world, civil war at home smote them. The history of Islam degenerated into the normal crimes and intrigues of an Oriental dynasty. Local squabbles of the times overshadowed Islam's external history.

Still, in 732, the Moslem advance in Europe, despite troubles at home, was still so great that it threatened all the civilisation that has come down to us. Charles Martel defeated the Moslems in one of the great battles of history between Tours and Poitiers.

THE GREAT WARS

But for that defeat, according to the eminent historian Gibbon, "perhaps the interpretation of the Koran would now be taught in the schools of Oxford and her pulpits might demonstrate to a circumcised people the sanctity and truth of the revelation of Mahommed."

Then came the great wars between the Turks and the Crusaders, the great struggles between Christendom and Islam, which, according to Wells, "have left a quite insane intolerance between these great systems right down to the present time." These struggles came at a time when Europe was at low ebb.

In 1227 the Ottoman Turks began to make their influence felt, when several thousand of them were driven from Central Asia by Mongols to seek refuge further west. They finally settled at Angora, and about 1300 Osman began a dynasty destined to be one of the oldest in the world.

Abdul Medjid Effendi, who was deposed from the Caliphate was a descendent of Osman, the thirty-eighth of his line and the first of all that line who was without temporal power. The Osman

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The End Of The Mighty Caliphate

The Sultan of Turkey, once one of the most powerful monarchs on the globe, was first made only a figure-head by Mustapha Kemal, the Nationalist leader and hero of the Young Turks, and now he has completed the job by taking away from the ancient rulers their last vestige of power by abolishing the caliphate.

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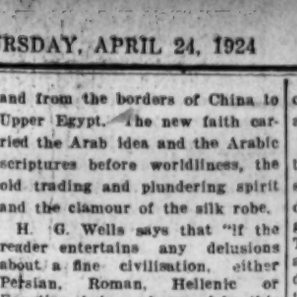

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CHOOSING COLORS FOR THE BLOND

It must be remembered in reading these articles for the purpose of help, that I cannot give too specific rules. For there are so many exceptions that it would be impossible for me to say, "Do this," or "Don't do that." I can only suggest certain fundamentals to you, which if followed out intelligently, will prove of inestimable value. And particularly in this subject of color types can I outline only the basic principles.

No matter what your complexion and the shade of your hair, it goes without saying that some colors will look well on you, while others will prove most unfavorable. Take as my illustration for today, the fair blond, with hair of light yellow or gold, whose eyes are blue, gray or brown, and whose complexion is clear, but with little color. Black is an especially good color for this type of woman particularly if the material has a luster. A bit of bright color used with restraint, or the addition of white, is permitted. White itself is most becoming, either in clear white or oyster color.

This blond type may also experiment with brown, although she will find that the darker shades are the best for her, in particular a green brown or a bronze.

Blue, too, unless it be very hard and brilliant, can be worn, as well as green, both light and dark. Gray may be attempted in pearl, dove and the warmer shades. Purpe will be favorable if heliotrope, wisteria and blue violet are selected, and certain shades of red.

Perhaps the greatest color enemy to a woman of the rather colorful blond type is yellow. This must be used most sparingly, and when worn should be of the very palest shade. Pink, of course, is excellent for it does not in any way interfere with the color of the hair, and it tends to enhance the flesh tones. Old rose and the dark shades, however, must never be touched.

Here then, are the general rules of color for the type of woman I have described. Yet each statement requires a preceding warning. From the colors I have discussed there will be one, perhaps, or even possibly two, that will seem specially made for you.

They will put gold into your hair, intensify the color of your eyes, and underline, so to speak, the color in your cheeks. Just which of the one or two colors out of all those mentioned will be the shade that will do this for you, cannot be told in theory. That is for you to find out. I have given you the general rules of a problem. From them you must work out your answer through experiment.

Any woman of the most ordinary intelligence can know what color is most becoming to her. Instead of choosing haphazardly, if she will make a study of herself, she need no longer wear indifferent clothes. As I have already suggested, when you are purchasing dress material, hold the fabric near your face to see whether it complements your complexion and hair and eyes. If you are buying a readymade frock, don't forget to consider the matter of color when you are trying on the dress to see whether it fits.

And do not overlook the value of advice from a wise friend. It is happily or unhappily true, depending on the viewpoint, that we cannot see ourselves as others see us. And so, if you are in doubt about your color, take along that friend whose judgment you appreciate. She'll love to go with you, and she'll prove a help.

Dorothy Stole

Tomorrow—"There Is a Science in Veil Selection"

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End Of Mighty Caliphate

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dynasty, then, ruled seven centuries.

Osman's grandson, Suleiman, esfrontiers of Germany to those of Gallipoli. Adrianople soon fell. Then, at the famous Battle of Kossovo, the Turks gained control of most of the Balkan Peninsula. In 1402 the Turks, however, were nearly annihilated by the Tartars, but they survived and soon resumed the aggressive in Europe. In 1453 they captured Constantinople, and the great Church of Santa Sophia was transformed into a mosque.

ZENITH OF POWER

The zenith of Ottoman power was reached under Suleiman the Munificent, in the middle of the sixteenth century, when the Turkish Empire extended from the frontiers of Germany to those of Persia, and in Africa from the Sinaitic Peninsula to the Pillars of Hercules. Thereafter internal dissensions and corruption slowly but steadily caused decay and disintegration, greatly promoted by the rising power and remorseless aggressions of Russia.

At the close of the Napoleonic wars Serbia became largely autonomous, and Mehemet Ali made Egypt all but independent. The Greek revolt secured the independence of that country in 1829. After the Crimean War a new era seemed to have dawned for what was left of Turkey, that empire being then for the first time admitted as an equal to the European family of nations.

But in 1861 Abdul-Aziz became Sultan and embarked upon a career of unparalleled financial extravagance which hastened the empire toward bankruptcy.

The "Bulgarian atrocities" exposed by the American reporters, J. A. MacGahn and Eugene Schuyler, in 1875-76, roused the wrath of Europe and provoked intervention. Abdul Aziz was deposed and committed suicide, and Murad V. reigned in his place. Roumania declared war and was joined by Russia, and at the Congress of Berlin in 1878 the Ottoman Empire in Europe was reduced to a mere fragment of its former extent.

YOUNG TURKS REVOLT

Meantime Murad was deposed and his brother, Abdul Hamid, "Abdul the Damned," became Sultan, and for four years committed atrocities far surpassing any known before. There followed the Greek War, and then the Young Turk revolution of 1908, when the Sultan was forced to grant a constitution. Abdul Hamid was deposed in 1909 and his younger brother, Mohammed V. was put into his place. Then came the Cretan revolution and the Balkan War, which further reduced the dwindling empire.

In the World War Turkey was the ally, the tool and the victim of Germany. The Young Turks revolted against the Sultan and refused to obey his rule. In July, 1918, Mohammed V. was succeeded by his brother, Mohammed VI., against whom the Young Turks under Kemal were increasingly hostile, their Government at Angora quite disregarding that at Constantinople. The Treaty of Sevres, made by the Constantinople Government, was rejected by them, and a formidable campaign was organised for expelling the Greeks from Anatolia and destroying the Armenian state. This campaign was completely successful and the disposition of the discredited and impotent Sultan has followed as a logical result.

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Japanese To Speed Up Radio Service

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Tokio, Apr. 14.—Direct and automatic retransmission will shortly be opened between the Central Telegraph Office and the Funabashi Wireless Station, which will result in the speeding up of radio communications with Manchuria and other points in Asia by three or four hours.

A similar quickening of the domestic radio service will result from the automatic retransmission of messages between the Tokio Central office and the two sending and receiving stations employed in this service.

Rally To Defense Of Kiangsi Tuli

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Apr. 20.—General Tsai Cheng-hsun's subordinates have begun to bombard Peking with telegrams in which they state that General Tsai has done excellent work in Kiangsi since he was appointed Tuli of that province. They assert that he has won the confidence of the people and that his removal would cause much regret throughout the province. This section is a reply to the recent appeals by the Kiangsi gentry of Peking for the Government to take action in connection with the drug monopoly instituted by General Tsai.

Motor Road Board Named By Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Apr. 20.—A mandate was issued last night appointing General Wang Chen-ping (Civil Governor of Chihli), General Cheng Shih-chi (Tuli of Shantung), General Hsiung Ping-chi (Civil Governor of Shantung), General Chang Fu-lai (Tuli of Honan), and General Li Chi-chen (Acting Civil Governor of Honan), Associate Directors of Chihli Motor Car Roads Construction.

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Former Premier And Others Arrested On Charges Of Larceny

(Reuter's Service)

St. John's, Newfoundland, April 22.—Sir Richard Squires, former Prime Minister of Newfoundland, has been arrested on a charge of larceny of $20,000. Mr. Alex Campbell, former Minister of Agriculture and Mines, Mr. John Meaney, former Liquor Controller, and Mr. Whitford McNeilly, former Clerk of the Crown Lands Office, have also been arrested on charges of larceny of $400, $100,000 and $30,000 respectively.

Sir Richard Squires, Mr. Meaney and Mr. McNeilly have been admitted to bail in $40,000 each and Mr. Campbell in $4,000.

Mr. Llex Rooney, Accountant-General of the Post Office who is charged with larceny of $3,000, escaped to Canada a fortnight ago.

Mr. William O'Reilly, former Magistrate in Placentia is being conveyed here on a charge of obtaining $12,000 by false pretences.

The charges have been formulated as a result of the investigation of a Royal Commission, which reported alleging irregularities in several Ministries and a waste of public funds in the period preceding the election in cases like "paying idlers for tasks they did not perform." The report specifically blamed Sir Richard Squires himself and alleged that he received through his secretary $20,000 with tainted history from a Mr. Meaney, Liquor Controller, and that he similarly received $43,000 from the Dominion Steel Company when the latter were negotiating with the Government for renewal of an ore royalty contract.

In the course of the enquiry, the former Prime Minister unequivocally denied the allegations, although he admitted that monies had been put to the credit of his account for the use of the Daily Star, a newspaper, while he was absent from the Colony between August and December, 1920.

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Peking, Apr. 20.—The Educational Association and Chinese Chamber of Commerce at Kirin have telegraphed to the Government urging that Mr. Li Chia-ao should be instructed to make representations to the Moscow Government with a view to the recall of Mr. Karakhan. Kirin seems to be particularly interested in this matter, as the Kirin Provincial Assembly sent a similar telegram to the Government last week.

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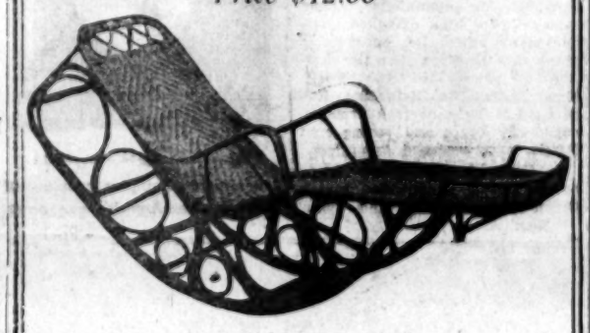

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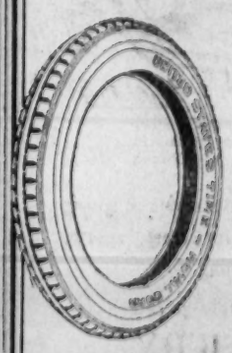

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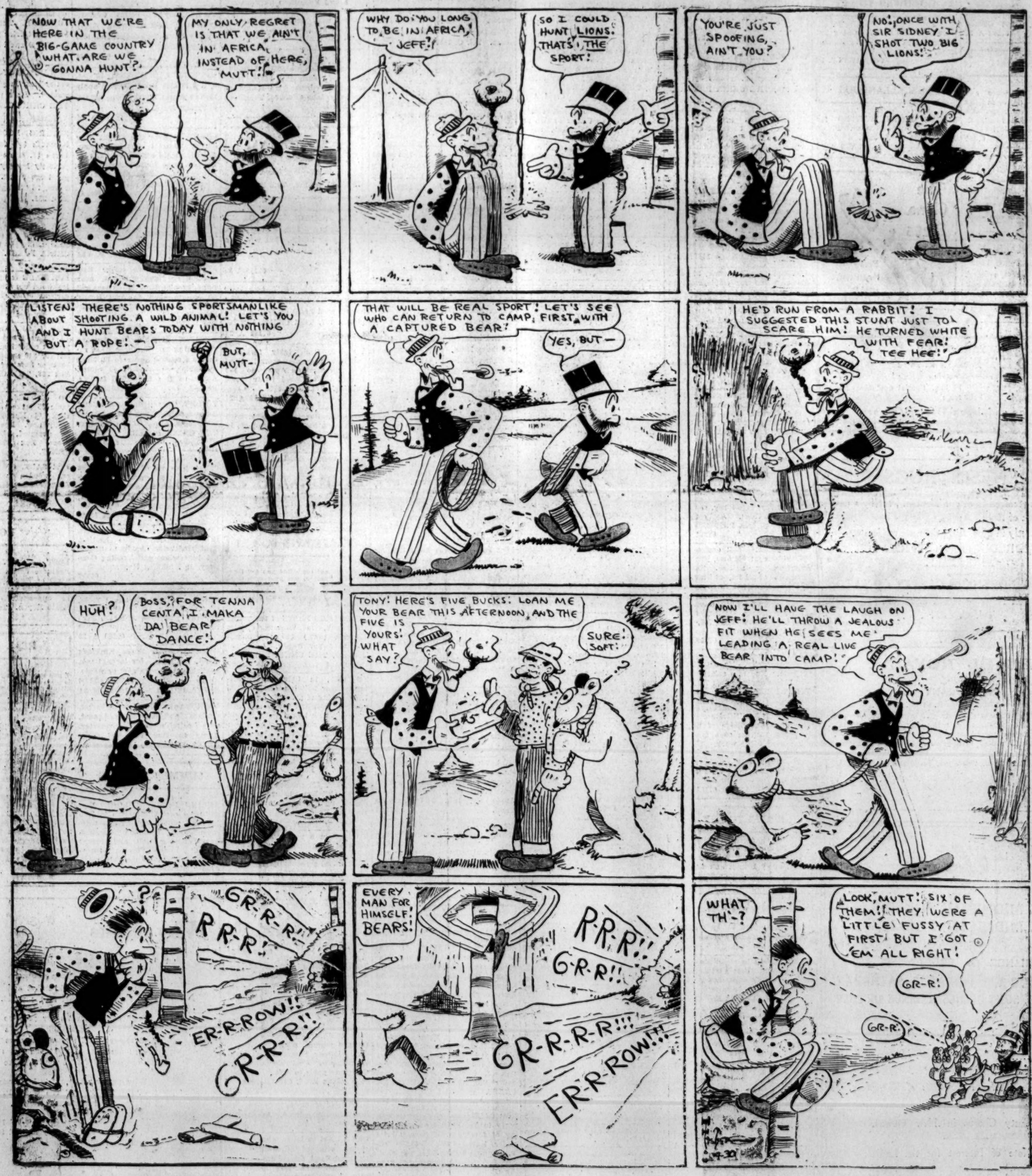
NOW THAT WE'RE HERE IN THE BIG-GAME COUNTRY WHAT ARE WE GONNA HUNT?
MY ONLY REGRET IS THAT WE AIN'T IN AFRICA INSTEAD OF HERE, MUTT!
WHY DO YOU LONG TO BE IN AFRICA, JEFF?
SO I COULD HUNT LIONS. THAT'S THE SPORT!
YOU'RE JUST SPOOFING, AIN'T YOU?
NO, ONCE WITH SIR SIDNEY I SHOT TWO BIG LIONS!
LISTEN! THERE'S NOTHING SPORTSMANLIKE ABOUT SHOOTING A WILD ANIMAL! LET'S YOU AND I HUNT BEARS TODAY WITH NOTHING BUT A ROPE! —
BUT, MUTT-
THAT WILL BE REAL SPORT! LET'S SEE WHO CAN RETURN TO CAMP, FIRST, WITH A CAPTURED BEAR?
YES, BUT —
HE'D RUN FROM A RABBIT! I SUGGESTED THIS STUNT JUST TO SCARE HIM! HE TURNED WHITE WITH FEAR! TEE HEE!
HUH?
BOSS, FOR TENNA CENTA, I MAKA DA BEAR DANCE!
TONY! HERE'S FIVE BUCKS! LOAN ME YOUR BEAR THIS AFTERNOON, AND THE FIVE IS YOURS! WHAT SAY?
SURE! SOFT!
NOW I'LL HAVE THE LAUGH ON JEFF! HE'LL THROW A JEALOUS FIT WHEN HE SEES ME LEADING A REAL LIVE BEAR INTO CAMP!
?
GR-R-R!
R-R-R!
ER-R-ROW!!
GR-R-R!!
EVERY MAN FOR HIMSELF! BEARS!
R-R-R!!
G-R-R!!
GR-R-R-R!!!
ER-R-ROW!!!
WHAT TH'-?
LOOK, MUTT! SIX OF THEM!! THEY WERE A LITTLE FUSSY AT FIRST BUT I GOT 'EM ALL RIGHT!
GR-R!
GR-R!

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Business and Official Notices

In the United States Court for China

In re Last Will and Testament of ABBIE JANE PRATT, *Deceased.* : Cause No. 2403 : Estate No. 551 : NOTICE

Pursuant to an Order of said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Abbie Jane Pratt, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers, to the undersigned on or before October 9, 1924, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course to the undersigned.

STIRLING FESSENDEN,
Administrator,
2 Kiukiang Road,
Shanghai, China.
April 9, 1924. 66941

In the American Consular Court for the District of Shanghai, China

In re Estate of EUSTACIO SANTA MARIA, *Deceased.* Estate No. 47 NOTICE

Pursuant to an Order of said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Eustacio Santa Maria, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers, to the undersigned on or before October 17, 1924, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course to the undersigned.

RICARDO SANTOS,
Administrator,
46, Boone Road,
Shanghai, China.
April 17, 1924. 67133 M 8

Cercle Sportif Francais

Subscribers to the 7%-1923 Loan of the CERCLE SPORTIF FRANCAIS who have paid up the total amount of their subscription and who are not in possession of their Debentures are invited to send in their provisional receipts to the Secretary.

The corresponding certificates will then be forwarded to them.

By order of the Committee,
H. BERTHELOT,
Secretary.
67266 A 25

NOTICE

Owing to my departure from Shanghai the Power of Attorney issued by me on the 15th September, 1920, in favor of Messrs. J. SPUNT & CO., Shanghai, will be cancelled as from May 15th, 1924.

(Signed) MAURICE SIMMONS.
67235 A 29

S.S. "PRESIDENT GRANT"
Voy. No. 64-West
from Seattle

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship's damaged cargo ex the S.S. "President Grant" Voy. No. 64-West, will be held at the China Merchant's Central Wharf on Friday, April 25th, 1924 at 9.00 a.m. when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves & Murphy, Marine and Cargo Surveyors will be in attendance.

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Shanghai Race Club

SPRING RACE MEETING, 1924.

Monday	5th May
Tuesday	6th May
Wednesday	7th May

The First Saddling Bell will be rung promptly at 11.30 a.m. each day. Tiffin Interval after the 3rd Race, and First Bell after Tiffin at 2 p.m.

Saturday, 10th May
First Bell at 1.15 p.m.

Members and their Wives and Daughters who require badges are asked to notify the undersigned without delay.

Children will not be admitted for the first three days of the Race meeting: Members requiring tickets for their children for the fourth day may obtain same on application to the undersigned.

Tickets giving admission to the Guests' Enclosure, Pari-Mutuel and Stand may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

PRICES

For the Four Days .... $20 each
For one day only ..... $ 5 each

NOTE.—No Guest's Ticket will be issued unless the name of the Guest is first declared. It is particularly requested that all applications should be forwarded to the Secretary *before 5 p.m. on Friday, 2nd May.*

Badges giving admission to the unreserved part of the enclosure may be obtained from Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, Ltd., or at the Public Entrance Gate, No. 14 Mohawk Road.

PRICES

For the Four Days ..... $5 each
For one day only ..... $2 each

Tiffin and Refreshments will be obtainable at the course.

For Members in the Grand Stand.

For Guests in the Guests' Tiffin Room.

For the Public in the Public Refreshment Rooms.

By Order of the Stewards
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.

Notice

From April 23rd
SUMMER PRICE LIST

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Turkish Bath Complete	$1.50
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Special Full Treatment.....	$2.50

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67274

NOTICE

Ginling College will give its annual entrance tests on Friday, May 30th. Those desiring to take the tests should make application at once to Miss Ella M. Hanawalt, Ginling College. Places in which tests will be given will be determined later. The tests will not be repeated in the autumn.
67278 A 26

NOTICE

S. S. "MUSSOLINI"
(Captain M. M. Affanassieff)
and
S. S. "ITALIA"
(Captain M. Olausson)

will leave Shanghai for Hankow, Ichang and Chungking on Friday, April 25th, 1924 from the Ningpo-Shaoshing S. N. Co., Ltd., Wharf.

These Steamers have First and Second Class passenger Accomodation. For booking of passage or freight please apply to Messrs. Ningpo-Shaoshing S. N. Co., Ltd., 217 Hankow Road.

F. PARLANI STEAMSHIP LINES
(Shanghai Yantzse River)
67284

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

On and after Monday, April 21st the offices of the Electric Equipment Co. will be located on the first floor of the same Building which they now occupy, No. 50 Nanking Road. The Radio Sales Department will be continued on this floor.

ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT CO.
Signed, A. C. Davis, General Manager.
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NOTICE

We have this day appointed Messrs. Tong Pao Shu and Tong Pao Chong as Managing Director and Treasurer respectively of our Company. Signature of one or both of the above gentlemen is necessary to hold documents or receipts as valid.

The previous management assumes all liabilities contracted prior to this date and all claims should be filed with them not later than May 3rd, 1924.

By Order of
The Board of Directors,
THE CHINA THREAD MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.
251 Kwenming Road,
Shanghai.
April 19, 1924. 67143 A 24

Institution of the Holy Family

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in aid of the

Building Fund for the Home for Destitute Children

will be held at

THE CARLTON

On Saturday, 26th April, 1924, from 2-9 p.m

(Donations of money or of goods suitable for sale at the Bazaar will be thankfully received by the Mother Superior.)

Mme. Wilden has kindly consented to open the fair.

Admission $1.00 Children 50 cts.

This space kindly donated by The Office Appliance Co.

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BRIDGE MAHJONG

30th April 1924
4-8 p.m.

"MARBLE HALL" — Great Western Road

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The King's Daughters' Rooms
The Yellow Jacket
Messrs. Brewer & Co.
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Business and Official Notices

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Wharfage and Landing Charges

This is to notify all concerned that on and after June 1st, 1924, the WHARFAGE, LANDING, and DELIVERY CHARGES, as printed on the present Tariff, dated January 1st, 1922, will be increased by 20%,—instead of the present 10% as printed on the front of the Tariff.

A special rebate of 15% will be allowed at the Pootung Wharves on the increased Tariff.

China Merchants' Lower, Central, Eastern, and Yangkadu Wharves. Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co's Hongkew, Old Ningpo, and Pootung Wharves.

March 1st, 1924.
65950

The Shanghai Chemical Laboratory

No. 20 Nanking Road
3rd Floor

Conseil d'Administration Municipal de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

MUNICIPAL LOAN OF 1924

8,000 debentures of Tls. 100 each

Rate of interest 7% per annum

The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th April 1924.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

1°.—The Debenture Certificates are transferable, and the person whose name is entered in the Register of Debenture Certificate or Certificates, shall alone be recognised and treated by the Council as the lawful and rightful holder and owner of such Debenture Certificate or Certificates.

2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 100 each and will be redeemable at par (Tls. 100 each) in not less than 10 years and not more than 30 years, from 1st October 1934 and according to the figures determinated by the Council.

3°.—The Debentures will bear interest at 7% per annum, payable on the 21st day of March and 30th day of September in each year, when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners.

4°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from May 1st 1924.

A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for must be deposited at the same time.

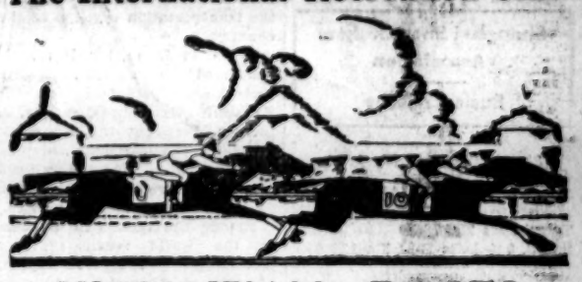
5°.—Applications for Debentures under par (Tls. 100) will not be recognised by the Council.

6°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 22nd April 1924.

By order,
P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.
T. F. 284.

The International Recreation Club



KIANGWAN RACES

107th MEETING
3rd May, 1924
(Saturday)
First Saddling Bell at 1.30 p.m. Sharp

ATTENTION TO MEMBERS.

ENTRIES for all events close at 7 p.m. on Friday, 25th April, 1924, at the Club House, No. 126, Bubbling Well Road.

Entry forms may be obtained upon application to the undersigned.

By order,
Y. S. DAY, *Secretary.*
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Notice of
REMOVAL

Pending reconstruction of old premises at 22 Museum Road, our address from April 18th, will be

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-:- Financial And Commercial News -:-

Money Exchange

Shanghai, April 23, 1924

Mex. Dollar market rate	71.8
Native Interest	12
Copper Cash	266,800
Shanghai Gold Bar	276.70
Bar Silver	32⅛
Bank rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	67.40
New York on London	439⅝
London:	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/2¼
Demand	3/2⅝
New York:	
Telegraphic Transfer	70
Demand	70¼

Bank's Demand Selling Rate for £1 at 3/2⅜=Tls. 6.25 at7155 =$8.73

G.$100 at 70¼=Tls. 142.35 at 7155=$198.95

International Banking Corporation

CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America 70¼
Demand buying on America 70⅛
Demand selling on London 3/2⅜
Demand buying on London 3/2⅛

Chinese Government Bonds
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Tuesday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	96.50	96.50
5th Year 6%	72.50	73.00
7th Year 6%	61.80	62.10
9th Year 6%	83.60	84.00
6% Consolidated	71.80	72.40
7% Consolidated	78.50	79.00
11th Year 8%	102.00	102.00
98 Millions 8%	23.80	23.80

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
BANK'S SELLING RATES
It. Lire 15.50=1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.95=1 Tael
It. Lire 8.75=1 Yen

RUSSO-ASIATIC BANK
BANK'S SELLING RATES
1 Chervonetz=Mex. $10.93

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, April 23, 1924

OFFICIAL

No. Official Business

UNOFFICIAL

Shanghai Lands Tls. 119.00

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, April 23, 1924

UNOFFICIAL

Telephones Tls. 78.50
S.M.C. 8% Debs 1921 Tls. 110.00

Hongkong Stocks

Messrs. Ellis and Co. yesterday received the following cable quotations of Hongkong stocks:

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corpn. $1,165 buyers.

Hongkong Land Investment Co. $109 sellers.

Union Insurance of Canton $243 sales.

Hongkong & Kowloon Wharfs $166 buyers.

Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co. $152 buyers.

Green Island Cement Co. (old) $24 sellers.

Green Island Cement Co. (new) $6 sellers.

Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (old) $19 nominal.

Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (new) $12½ nominal.

China Sugar Refinery Co. $243 sellers.

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts are in receipt of the following quotations from their Hongkong office by cable of yesterday:

H'kong Lands	Sellers	H.$ 109
China Sugars	,,	H.$ 238
Cements	,,	H.$ 30
H'kong Docks	Buyers	H.$ 152
Kowloon Wharves	,,	H.$ 166
Banks	Sales	H.$1,170

FRENCH IMPORTS GAIN

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, April 22.—The total of French imports for the first three months of 1924 was Frs. 10,224,325,000 for 13,150,628 tons, an increase of Frs. 3,269,000,000 and 1,081,018 tons as compared with the corresponding period in 1923 and Frs. 8,110,000,000 and 2,652,793 tons as compared with 1913. Exports totalled 10,972,807,000 francs and 6,579,462 tons, an increase of Frs. 4,412,000,000 and 372,276 tons as compared with 1923 and Frs. 2,334,000,000 and 1,841,118 tons as compared with 1913.

ROOSEVELT THINKS BUSINESS BETTER IN THE ORIENT

Conditions In Russia Show Decided Improvement, Is View Held

Business conditions in Russia, as well as in Japan and other sections of the Far East, are showing a decided improvement and a trend towards stabilisation, Mr. Kermit Roosevelt, president of the Roosevelt Steamship Line, told newspaper men upon his arrival at New York recently. With his mother, the widow of former President Roosevelt, he had paid a visit to Japan, crossed Siberia by rail and spent a short time in Europe before returning to America.

In Japan, Mr. Roosevelt said, he found they were rapidly recovering from the effects of the earthquake of last September and that prospects for increased business with the United States were good.

Russia, he added, is gradually recovering from the turmoil of the war and the subsequent change in government. The physical condition of the country was much improved and economic conditions were also changed for the better. Recent establishment of a gold ruble basis of exchange has done much to bring this about. While there is still a considerable quantity of paper rubles, they are used in a small way and are rapidly being called in from circulation.

RUSSIANS ARE ENCOURAGED

Recent trade arrangements with Great Britain and Italy have encouraged the Russians, he added, and they are expecting great benefits from them. The attitude toward the United States is friendly, but they are still looking to what will be the trend toward recognition. Naturally, he said, the Russians favor those nations which have granted government recognition. He added that while rolling stock is still deficient in Russia, there has been a material improvement in the transportation systems of the country.

While in Japan, Mr. Roosevelt concluded with Mr. Kojiro Matsukata, president of the Kokusai Steamship Company, a merger between the Roosevelt line and the Japanese shipping organisation. The combined companies are to maintain a round-the-world freight service.

Among the vessels to be run in the world service are four motorships, the Silverpine, Silverash, Silvereim and Silvermarch. They have been built in England for the account of the Roosevelt-Kerr interests and will be delivered during the spring and summer. They make better than eleven knots speed, are equipped with 3,500 horsepower Diesel engines, and average about 11,000 deadweight tons each.

Mr. Roosevelt said also that his company made an attempt to purchase motorships from the Shipping Board, but that the latter apparently did not wish to sell these vessels. The Roosevelt-Kerr interests offered $606,000, about $50 a deadweight ton, last year.

"We would like to get motorships under the American flag if the prices were reasonable in comparison with similar foreign tonnage," he said.

FIRST SHIP SAILED

Mr. Roosevelt was asked if he and his associates would be interested in purchasing steamers for conversion to motorships under terms proposed in the Edmonds bill now pending in the House. This would authorise the Shipping Board to make loans from the special $125,000,000 fund established under the merchant marine act for the conversion of suitable steamers. He replied that they would certainly be interested, but that they had not yet figured on the cost and availability of definite vessel. He strongly approved the Edmonds measure as a step in the right direction.

The first of the new motorships, the Silverash, sailed from New York March 15 for the Far East via the Panama Canal. The first Japanese vessel in the joint service, the Italy Maru, is scheduled to sail April 20.

PARIS-LONDON RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, April 22.—The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at: £1—57.35 francs.

ECONOMIC CRISIS REACHED IN SPAIN

New Rich Ostentatiously Parade Wealth In The Face Of Penury—Investors In Marks Ruined

Madrid.—Madrid, in spite of the prevailing difficulties of earning a living, always presents a cheerful aspect. For the Spaniard, generally speaking, seldom worries about his future, but is content to carelessly phrase it: "Today I am happy; we need not bother about tomorrow—that is in the hands of God."

This peculiar idiosyncrasy of the Spanish people prevents anyone from realising their anxieties. The Spaniard is, however, inclined to conceal his pecuniary anxieties owing to his abiding sense of self-respect, and this trait provides every Government with a ready weapon upon which it can rely.

NOBODY WORRIES

This explains why it would be difficult to realise from external evidence that Madrid is passing through an economic crisis. Farmers and traders are all, nevertheless, working feverishly.

There has never been more money in Spain than today. As a result of the war fortunes have been accumulated, and side by side with penury we see the new rich ostentatiously parading their wealth. There were many Germanophils in Spain, as we all know, who were convinced of the final victory of Germany and who would not allow discussion on the point at all. They invested their money in marks, and such was their confidence that they refused to realise their holdings, and only now that they have lost their fortunes are they willing to admit their mistake.

This was the principal cause of the failure of the Banco de Castilla, which suspended payment last month. It was a bank of high credit but it bought German securities in excessive proportion, and their clients had to suffer. Small depositors in small private banks were able to withdraw their money without any great loss. In the Bank of Spain and the Banco Hipotecario (Mortgage State Bank) the deposits have lately been actually increased.

RAILWAY SUBSIDY REDUCED

The Government, a few years ago, granted the railways an important subsidy. The Directorate has reduced the subsidy and authorised the increase of tariffs. As a result, many railway shareholders have withdrawn a great part of their holdings, in the expectation of a decline in general railway takings. Nobody, of course, believes that the public will refrain from using the railways. The railway companies have not, in fact, experienced any real loss. Railway shares have changed hands, and there is an upward tendency for the investment of Spanish capital in such public undertakings.

The authorities are at the moment busy with a solution of the problem of foodstuffs. The Food Board has, for instance, decided to control wheat and flour production. Should the wheat shortage persist in the main markets, drastic measures provided by the Food Regulations are to be applied in order to put an embargo on wheat and flour.

The maritime Mediterranean provinces which live by the fruit trade are alarmed by the restriction of exports. Almeria, for instance, which depends almost exclusively upon the grape trade has, with other provinces, formed a committee for the purpose of securing the retrocession of a measure which directly affects their resources.

In Cataluna, on the other hand, the chief protest comes not from the agricultural, but from the industrial, community. Textile manufacturers claim that the latest international commercial agreements favor what is tantamount to an invasion of the Spanish markets by foreign goods.

Seven Foreigners And 161 Chinese Died Last Week

Seven foreigners and 161 Chinese died of all causes in the International Settlement last week, according to the weekly report of Acting Commissioner of Health Athelstane Hill. During the same period communicable diseases were reported as follows: One foreigner and one Chinese with smallpox, 5 Chinese with typhoid fever, one foreigner with paratyphoid fever, 2 foreigners with diptheria, one Chinese with scarlet fever, 2 foreigners and 16 Chinese with tuberculosis, one foreigner with bacillary dysentery, and one foreigner and 6 Chinese with measles.

AMERICAN BANKER IS CHARGED WITH INSURANCE PLOT

International Life Sues To Cancel Policies Of Mr. Paul Thalmann

Allegations that Mr. Paul Thalmann, financier associated with Ladenburg, Thalmann and Co., New York, and son of the late Mr. Ernest Thalmann, member of the firm, misrepresented his physical condition in obtaining insurance policies for $200,000 were revealed in the Supreme Court in New York on March 12 in a suit of the International Life Insurance Company, a Missouri corporation, to revoke them. Thalmann is accused of obtaining the policies through a conspiracy with William L. Royall, and agency manager of the New York Life Insurance Company.

Thalmann's father died in 1912, leaving a $5,000,000 estate. The son got the life income from $1,500,000. In the policies which are the subject of the suit, Thalmann named his mother, Mrs. Anna Thalmann, with whom he lives at 150 West Fifty-ninth Street, as a beneficiary. Thalmann and Royall (who is co-defendant) have filed a denial of the charges, and have made application to have the complaint dismissed.

The policies, for $50,000 and $150,000, were issued last November. It is alleged that when he applied for them Thalmann stated that his last illness was in 1918, when he had a cold which kept him at home for two weeks, and that he never had suffered from any mental or nervous disease. The insurance company alleges that the statements were false, and that Thalmann is a sufferer from a nervous disease and has violent spells, during which it is necessary for him to be led about by an attendant.

The policies were obtained from the International Life through its Newark agent, Julius Bohm. The company contends that as part of the conspiracy Mr. Royall represented to Agent Bohm that the New York Life had accepted Thalmann for a $150,000 policy after an examination, and that at the request of Mr. Royall the agent telegraphed his company, which decided to issue the policy without requiring an examination.

The International Life alleges the statement by Mr. Royall was false and that the New York life rejected the application for a large policy and merely authorised the issuance of a small policy as a sub-normal risk at high rate of premium. It also alleges that Mr. Royall withheld from the International agent an adverse report by an examining physician for the New York Life. This report is now in the plaintiff's possession, it is stated.

Mr. Royall threatened to sue the International for commissions, and also complained to the New Jersey Commissioner of Banking and Insurance.

In his answer Mr. Thalmann alleges that when he discussed insurance with Mr. Royall the latter told him a man in his position should carry $1,000,000 insurance, and that he asked for policies in upwards of twenty companies. He says he got two policies after an examination by three physicians in Mr. Royall's office.

West Lake Hotel In Hangchow Proving A Popular Resort

Visitors arriving from Hangchow, which has truly been called the City Beautiful, speak in terms of praise of the Palace Hotel, West Lake. Although newly erected, the 120 rooms of which the Hotel is comprised are already full. One section of the Hotel is reserved for foreigners in view of the growing popularity of the resort among foreigners.

The rooms in the Palace Hotel are bright and airy, with flush closets and all modern conveniences. In view of the up to date appointments in the Hotel and in view also of the fact that it is only 15 minutes from the railway station, the Palace Hotel promises to be a Mecca for tourists passing through this part of the world as well as permanent residents who seek relaxation for jaded nerves.

MONEY EXCHANGE

In response to numerous requests from up-country subscribers, we have resumed publication in our financial columns, taking effect from today, of the sterling and gold dollar rates of exchange.

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closing Quotations

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. & S. Banks	H.$1,165 B.
Chartered	£19⅝
Russio-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$720 B.
North China	Tls. 140
Union of Canton	H.$245 S.
Yangtsze	H.$28½ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$145
Hongkong Fire	H.$530 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$133½
Indo-China Perf.	H.$38½ B.
"Shell"	52/6
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 87 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52½ B.
H.C.&M.S.B.Co.Ltd	H.$40 B.
Star Ferry	H.$87 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 20½ B.
Oriental Cons.	17/-
Raub	H.$5
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$150 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 95 S.
New, Eng. Works	Tls. 5¼ B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 190 B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$166 B.
Lands and Hotels	
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref	Tls. 50
A.-French Land	Tls. 119 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 119 B.
Hongkong Lands	H.$110 S.
Humphreys Estate	Tls. 23½ S.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53
H. & S. Hotel	NewH.$12B. Old H.$19B.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 11¼ B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 106 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 7½ B.
Oriental	Tls. 4.80 S. Old 58 B. New 36
Shanghai Cotton	
Industrials	
Bulter Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	H.$242 S.
Green Island	H.$26XR S.
Langkats	Tls. 25½ S.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 98½ B.
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Tls. 6
Llewelyn	Tls. 35
Lane Crawford	Tls. 106½ B
Moutrie	$70
Watson	H.$26½ S.
Weeks	Tls. 11
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 5⅝
Amherst	Tls. 0.25
Anglo-Java	Tls. 5 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 1⅝ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 21
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.65 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.75
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 0.90 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.80 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 4½
Cheng	Tls. 1¾
Consolidated	Tls. 2.10 S.
Dominion	Tls. 1⅝
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 8
Java Consolidated	Tls. 10¼
Kali Glideks	Tls. 6 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 9.40
Karan	Tls. 4
Kedah	Tls. 0.75
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.75
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 11 B.
Padang	Tls. 5½
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.05
Permata	Tls. 2.30
Repah	Tls. 0.80
Samagagas	Tls. 0.60
Seekees	Tls. 0.75
Semambu	Tls. 0.75 B.
Senawang	Tls. 0.82½
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.50
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.75
Sungala	Tls. 0.80
Sungei Duri	Tls. 6 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.40 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.45 B
Tanah Merah	Tls. 1.05
Tebong	Tls. 2¾
Ziangbes	
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 12 S.
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 16½
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 41 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephones	Tls. 77½ B.
S'hai Waterwork.	Tls. 147½ B. Old 17 New 6
China Providents.	H.$35
H'kong Electrics	H.$31¼ B.
H'kong Tramways	H$25 B.
Dairy Farm	H.$65
Hongkong Ropes	Old H.$14½ New H.$9
China Lights	

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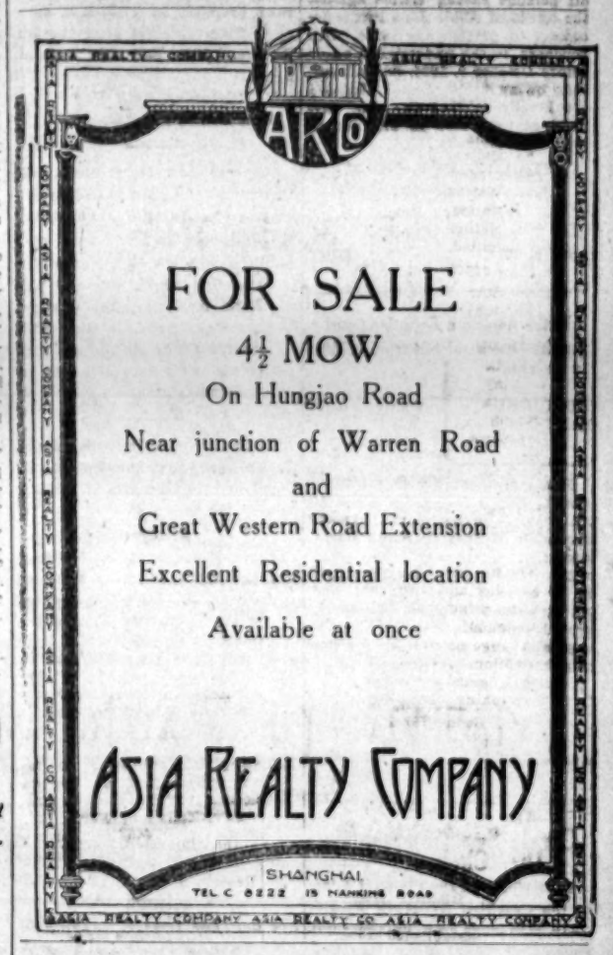

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Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 1924

The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are about equal after noon and midnight.
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	h; at neaps, 7½ h.
3h. 19m.	9ft. 2in.	3h. 44m. | 6ft. 6in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides.)
Approximate rise, 1½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.	P.M.
2h. 18m.	2h. 43m.

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
11:41 p.m.	9:26 a.m.	5h. 28m.	6h. 30m.	4h. 43m.	7h. 15m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. 30.17 in.
April 766.6 mm.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on April 22, 1924.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	,,	18-30
Pork	,,	30-40
Veal	,,	24-36
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	20-25
Cod	,,	20-25
Mandarin	,,	40-60
Mackerel	,,	30-40
Pomfret	,,	30-40
Salmon	,,	25-30
Samli	,,	$1.00-$1.50
Soles	,,	20-25
Whitebait	,,	18-20
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	each	none
Partridge	,,	none
Pheasant	,,	none
Geese	,,	$1.00-$1.30
Plover	,,	10-12
Pigeons	,,	25-30
Quail	,,	25-30
Snipe	,,	16-18
Teal	,,	16-18
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Wooodcock	each	50-60
Wild Duck	,,	40-50
Duck	,,	80-$1.00
Wild Pigeon	,,	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	,,	20-25
Bananas	,,	10-12
Chestnuts	,,	14-16
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	,,	8-10
Oranges	per lb.	20-25
Mangoes	each	15-25
Peaches	,,	none
Melons	,,	none
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	none
Pears	,,	16-20
Peeboes	,,	none
Plums	,,	none
Pumeloes	each	25-30
Pineappples	,,	none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	,,	15-18
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	3-4
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	10-12
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Broad Beans	per lb.	6-8
Cabbages	each	8-12
Celery	per bunch	8-16
Carrots	,,	4-5
Cauliflower	each	20-30
Egg Plant	per lb.	8-12
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The Work Of The China Society Of America

ACCORDING to the annual report of Dr. Robert M. McElroy, Managing Director of the China Society of America which has its headquarters at 19 West 44 Street, New York, the organisation has distributed since June, 1922 more than 40,000 pamphlets interpretative of China-American problems. The report which was delivered at the annual meeting held on February 11 affords an opportunity for reviewing the work of this organisation which was founded some eleven years ago for the purpose of promoting friendship, peace and commercial intercourse between China and the United States.

The China Society is supported entirely by membership fees and personal contributions on the part of its members among whom are to be found many of the leading business men of America interested in China such as Major General James G. Harboard, president of the Society; John J. Abbott of the Continental and Commercial Bank of Chicago; Mr. Charles R. Crane, former Minister to Peking; Ellsworth E. Huggins of Elbroom, Inc.; Jeremiah W. Jenks of the Alexander Hamilton Institute; Mrs. Thomas W. Lamont, wife of the New York financier; K. C. Li, president of the Wah Chang Corporation; James A. Thomas of the Peacock Motion Picture Corporation; Owen F. Roberts, former president of the Society; Frederick W. Stevens, former representative of the American banks in the Consortium; W. Cameron Forbes, honorary president of the Society; Samuel M. Vauclain, president of the Baldwin Locomotive Works; Charles N. Perin, consulting engineer; William M. Chadbourne, vice President of the Society; Richard C. Patterson, Jr., of the Peacock Picture Corporation; M. A. Oudin of the International General Electric Company; James A. Ferrell, president of the United States Steel Corporation; H. F. Un, manager of the New York branch of the Bank of Canton; Stanley Glines of Lam Glines and Company; Donald Brodie, secretary to Mr. Charles R. Crane; Ralph A. Ward of the Mission Boards, and others. Dr. McElroy formerly professor of Political Science at Princeton University has been managing director of the Society since 1922 and it is largely due to his work that so much progress has been made recently.

Among the problems in which the Society has been interested in recently has been that of assisting in the placing of Chinese students in America in positions in the large industrial concerns of the United States in order that they may obtain practical experience in addition to their theoretical college training before returning to China; the distribution of literature dealing with the problems of China-American relations; assisting the U. S. Government officials in understanding special problems affecting American interests in China; entertainment of prominent Chinese visiting in America and so on.

In January of this year the Society started an official bulletin called *China* which contains a monthly resume of the activities of the organisation. This is sent to all members in both America and China. Up to the present the membership has been confined almost entirely to the United States but an effort is to be made this year to obtain members in China so that the Society may become of still more practical service in bringing about a closer understanding on the part of America and China. At the annual dinner held in New York on February 12 which was attended by nearly 400 members and their guests, President Coolidge sent a personal message to the members stating in part, "In promoting a more thorough knowledge of conditions in China, you are, in a very direct way, promoting a better understanding and more cordial relations between the two countries and in these efforts I wish you every success."

Road Widening

IT is sometimes a casual remark which best serves to bring home to those who take so much for granted in Shanghai, the really excellent manner in which our municipal government looks after the interests of the ratepayers. The incident we have in mind arose out of a passing comment in casual conversation of a reader who remarked on the manner in which the approach to Szechuan Road Bridge had been widened. He stated that at the rate the Council was proceeding with that thoroughfare, Shanghai would soon have a good road, where there now existed only a very meagre traffic artery. Undoubtedly if and when Szechuen Road is expanded to the width leading up to the Bridge, Shanghai will have a route at right angles to Nanking Road more nearly commensurate with the traffic it has to handle.

But this is a question of time and opportunity and must be so if these improvements are to be carried out as economically as possible. For the compulsory acquisition of sufficient frontage along Szechuen Road, or any other of our principal thoroughfares, for that matter, could only be secured at very considerable expense, while so long as the Council are enabled to take advantage of fortuitous circumstances, such as they invariably do, this important work will be carried out much more cheaply than would otherwise be the case. Unfortunately, it has not been possible to include the cost of rebuilding and widening of Chapoo Road Bridge in this year's estimates, though this is a work of which the city stands in urgent need. But it is to be hoped that as soon as opportunity offers the council will be able to lay this project before the community for its consent, when another important means of communicating with the northern portion of the Settlement will be made possible.

The Future Of The International Institute

THE new arrival in Shanghai who travels out Avenue Joffre in the French Concession doubtless wonders at the meaning of a sign "International Institute of China" which appears over a gateway to a spacious property with a large brick building in the background. The buildings themselves are occupied by a school of commerce belonging to the National Southeastern University of Nanking, "but the International Institute, what is it?" the visitor inquires.

Dr. Gilbert Reid, director of the Institute, has just issued a report regarding this interesting organisation started in 1894 for the purpose of bringing about "harmony between the people of China and those of other nationalities" but which during the early days of the European War was considered too *international* by certain interests. However, that is all past history now and it is interesting to consider the purpose of the organisation in the light of the director's report.

Outside of its war troubles the Institute seems to have suffered chiefly because of the successful culmination of the founder's ideal. It's a good deal like the present predicament of the prohibition societies in America since the country went dry. As long as America was wet, the societies devoted to prohibition flourished, but when the country voted dry, these organisations, with large memberships and money in their treasuries, found themselves in the midst of a great desert with no place to go. The Government took over the matter of promoting prohibition and is prosecuting it with hordes of law-enforcement officers and a well equipped fleet.

The International Institute of China finds itself in pretty much the same fix. When founded, there was need for an organisation to provide a place or medium where foreigners and Chinese might discus problems on a common ground. In 1894 Dr. Reid was criticised and called eccentric. "Now," according to his report, "every missionary society, the Y.M.C.A., the Y.W.C.A., the foreign chambers of commerce, Christian schools and universities, groups of Chinese pastors, community service leagues, all alike vie with each other in looking out for good 'connections.'"

Now Dr. Reid sees his ideals succeeding everywhere. On every side foreigners and Chinese are "getting together" and discussing things—religion, philosophy, militarism, defaulted debts, and cigarette taxes and in the midst of it all they have forgotten about the International Institute. Today the Chinese and foreigners do not require the support of any benevolent organisation in order to get into contact with each other. Chinese and foreigners belong to the same organisations by the hundreds; they combine in commercial companies and banks; they send commissions, official and unofficial, over the world and deliberate in international conferences. The Chinese think so much of the foreigners today that they want to abolish extraterritoriality and gather all of the foreigners "to their legal bosom" as it were.

So where does the International Institute fit into this new order of things? questions Dr. Reid. According to the report, the fine property on Avenue Joffre—quite valuable now due to increased property values—is rented, with the exception of a few rooms in which are housed the museum, to the National Southeastern University for its commercial classes. The grounds were donated to the Institute by Chinese and the buildings were constructed from money donated by an American. Recently the organisation has been reincorporated under American law and is registered in the American Consulate in Shanghai. The chief present work of the organisation, according to the report, is the publication of a magazine in Peking, the *International Journal*, which serves to perpetuate the ideals of the founder. Also last year there was held a "Prayer for Peace" service participated in by representatives of nine religious faiths and presided over by Sir Robert Ho Tung of Round-Table-Conference fame. The income from membership fees last year was only Mex. $280 but a plan is on foot for increasing the income by leasing part of the Avenue Joffre property for building purposes on a 30-year leasing basis. Although there is work for the Institute in Shanghai, according to the Director, it is his belief that Peking offers the best field and it is his purpose apparently to concentrate the activities of the organisation in Peking where the services of the Institute are more greatly needed.

Mr. Lloyd George's Complaint

IT was only proper, it is to be supposed, that Mr. Lloyd George should voice his disapproval of the policy of Mr. Asquith, at so delightfully named a place as Llanfairfechan. He was on his own stamping ground and consequently more or less entitled to roar. But whatever humiliation the Liberal party has suffered, it is a little difficult to see why the blame for it should be placed wholly on Mr. Asquith. It is true that the British Labor Party would not now have been in power had it not been for the complaisance and active assistance of the Liberals. It is equally true that Mr. Asquith is the Liberal leader: but we are not to suppose that Mr. Asquith dominates Liberal councils any more completely than he did the Cabinets in which he had the fortune to include Mr. Lloyd George. And further, the latter, by his actions in Parliament, lent support to the policy which his leader had adopted.

Possibly, having seen the error of his way Mr. Lloyd George desires to retrace his steps; having assisted in yoking the Liberal oxen to the Labor plough, he sees the imminence of political slaughter awaiting these patient draught animals who are assisting Mr. Ramsay Macdonald to negotiate the difficult road he has already traversed in part, and of which the worst is yet to come. But we fear that the burden which the Liberals have taken up will not be easily laid down, and if it is political slaughter may still be the lot of those who now desire to stand from under.

Liberalism in Britain stands in a serious predicament at the present moment. Political tendencies are that sooner or later it will be wiped out, for in the years to come the fight will be between Labor and those interests at present more valiantly defended by the Tory element. In so clean cut an issue, the Liberal party which has apparently sought to discover a *via media* between the two, and in doing so has sacrificed for the time being its political identity, must be the first victim in the fight. For even now Mr. Asquith's line of action has resulted in the complete betrayal of the less liberal elements of his party, who will naturally tend towards the Tories, while the more radical section will more readily turn to the party at present in power. Defection by the Liberals at the present moment would mean the acceptance by them of the responsibility for another general election, and their appointment to the unhappy role of whipping block for both the other parties. Taken all in all, it would seem that Mr. Lloyd George having allowed Mr. Asquith to make the Liberal Bed will now have to lay on it, even if it is not of so rosy a constitution as he at first anticipated.

The Twelve "Commandments"

THE Educational Association and Chinese Chamber of Commerce at Kirin who have telegraphed to the Peking Government urging that representations should be made to the Moscow Government with a view to the recall of M. Karakhan are rendering China and the Chinese a far greater service than they probably imagine. Next to the misrule of the Chinese authorities, the greatest peril to which the people of China are exposed is the propagation of the Bolshevik creed among the populace in various parts of the country. We have seen the restlessness engendered among the students in North China by M. Karakhan and his henchmen, both Russian and Chinese. In South China also the agents of Moscow have not been idle, and there, as in Peking, we see a concrete illustration of St. Paul's dictum that evil communications corrupt good manners. Bolshevistic literature, in the Chinese language, is being circulated in Hongkong. Recently innumerable leaflets were distributed to various firms and shops, being either thrust under the doorways or inserted in crevices near the entrances. These leaflets are not signed, but they are said to have emanated from a so-called Educational Society of the Heungshan district. The leaflets are headed in big type with words admonishing the people to take note of the intended peaceful union of all nations of the world. They then urge the people to abolish capitalism and seize private property so that Socialism may be realised and a new heaven and a new earth founded. Twelve "articles" are then set forth, which may be roughly translated as follows:

1. All immovable property, such as factories, etc., to be seized as public property.
2. All people have the right to public property, with no control by employers.
3. All must work. There must be no distinctions between rich and poor.
4. All the fruits of work, such as houses, clothing, etc., must belong to the new Social Society which is to be formed, and all people must have full liberty to enjoy same.
5. There will be no Governments, military forces, police, prisons or civil laws.
6. Public Guilds may be established for the improvement of industry.
7. Marriage to be abolished in favor of free love, the children to be brought up in Convents.
8. High-class education will be provided for all between the ages of six years and twenty years.
9. All people over fifty years may retire to an institution for the care of the aged.
10. All religions to be abolished.
11. Daily labor to be limited from two to four hours.
12. A universal language to be taught in all schools.

There is also contained in the leaflets a laborers' song in simple words, bitterly denouncing capitalists and advocating the abolition of gold and silver currency.

In conclusion, five explanations are given of the laborers' song, and it is declared that the people and nations of the five Continents must be formed into one family, like brothers and sisters, and thus Socialism will be fully realised. Yet there are hundreds of destitute Russian refugees in Shanghai who would rather face the prospect of starvation, as many of them literally do, than return to their country. Comment is needless.

Parliamentary Vagaries

THERE are occasions when the most staid of parliamentarians, both in the Occident and the Orient, cast decorum to the winds and assert some of their primitive instincts. Even within the usually dignified precincts of the House of Commons cases have been known of recalcitrant members being frogmarched out of the premises in the event of extreme misbehavior, when the authority of the Speaker is deliberately defied. But this is nothing by comparison with what occurs in and out of the Japanese Diet from time to time. Snakes continue to play a part in Japanese politics. Two large reptiles were hurled at Mr. Sato, a Kenseikai candidate for a seat in the Diet, while he was engaged in making a campaign speech the other evening in a suburb of Tokio. A group of men rushed to the platform soon after Mr. Sato began to speak, produced the two snakes and threw them at the head of the political speaker. The meeting, attended by several hundred people, was thrown into utter confusion, as may well be imagined.

There is no telling what political fanatics will not do when it comes to dealing with their adversaries. The Italian Fascisti, it will be remembered, signalised their advent into power by administering a stiff dose of castor oil to their political opponents, which is certainly a novel, though devastating, mode of chastisement for those who do not happen to see eye to eye with the party in the saddle. But the device of hurling live snakes at one's political foes is assuredly the last word in political savagery. The first time snakes were used as missiles in Japan happened two years ago during the Diet session, when one of the reptiles was thrown on the platform in the House of Representatives, which furnished the signal for an uproar. Since then there was a temporary absence of snaky incidents until the episode just chronicled. Reptiles are the thing so far as Japanese members of parliament are concerned, and they will doubtless continue to be the fashion until a more fearsome retaliatory contrivance is invented.

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Parliamentary Vagaries

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terested spectators at the time of Yuan Shih-kai's regime and for some little time thereafter. The sessions of Parliament in that hectic period of politics in North China were productive more of amusement than constructive legislation. It was delightful to watch bespectacled law-makers leave their seats in high dudgeon, approach an adversary and shake their fists in the face of their opponent. Those were the times when ink-stands were greatly favored as missiles to be hurled at the heads of political protagonists until one fine morning the discovery was made by the members that the Speaker had taken the precaution of having the ink-stands chained to the members' desks so that the latter had to be content with hurling invective about in the air instead of ink receptacles. One member, more imaginative than the rest, hit upon the device of bringing with him to the council chamber a large-sized egg wrapped up in a handkerchief which he gingerly deposited on his desk so as to create an impression that a bomb reposed beneath the handkerchief which he might be tempted to use if occasion demanded. Needless to say, it had a salutary effect on political enemies until the trick was discovered and the author of the hoax beat a hasty retreat. Vain indeed are the ways of parliamentarians.

Our Literary Column

EXCERPTS FROM GREAT WRITERS

By Mathy

THE HISTORY OF MAN

The history of man is simply the history of slavery, of injustice and brutality, together with the means by which he has, through the dead and desolate years, slowly and painfully advanced.

Events, like the peadulum of a clock, have swung forward and backward, but after all, man, like the hands, has gone steadily on. Man is growing grander. He is not degenerating. Nations and individuals fall and die, and make room for higher forms. The intellectual horizon of the world widens as the centuries pass. Ideals grow grander and purer; the difference between justice and mercy becomes less and less; liberty enlarges, and love intensifies as the years sweep on.

We find that our institutions have the faults of individuals. Nations must be composed of men and women; and as they have their faults, nations cannot be perfect.

The traveler standing amid the ruins of ancient cities and empires, seeing on every side the fallen pillar and the prostrate wall, asks why did these cities fall, why did these empires crumble? And the Ghost of the Past, the wisdom of ages, answers: These temples, these palaces, these cities, the ruins of which you stand upon, were built by tyranny and injustice. The hands that built them were unpaid. The backs that bore the burdens also bore the marks of the lash. They were built by slaves to satisfy the vanity and ambition of thieves and robbers. For these reasons they are dust.

Their civilisation was a lie. Their laws merely regulated robbery and established theft. They bought and sold the bodies and souls of men, and the mournful winds of desolation, sighing amid their crumbling ruins, is a voice of prophetic warning to those who would repeat the infamous experiment, uttering the great truth, that no nation founded upon slavery, either of body or mind, can stand.

What light is to the eyes, what love is to the heart, Liberty is to the soul of man. Without it, there come suffocation, degradation and death.

Liberty is the condition of progress. Without Liberty there remains only barbarism.

Without liberty of thought, no human being has the right to form a judgment. It is impossible that there should be such a thing as real religion without liberty. Without liberty there can be no such thing as conscience, no such word as justice. All human actions—all good, all bad—have for a foundation the idea of human liberty, and without Liberty there can be no vice, and there can be no virtue.

Without Liberty there can be no worship, no blasphemy—no love, no hatred, no justice, no progress.

Take the word Liberty from human speech and all other words become poor, withered, meaningless sounds—but with that word realised—with that word understood, the world becomes a paradise.

Liberty, thou art the god of my idolatry! Thou art the only deity that hatest bended knees. In thy vast and unwalled temple, beneath the roofless dome, star-gummed and luminous with suns, thy worshipers stand erect! They do not cringe, or crawl, or bend their foreheads to the earth. The dust has never borne the impress of their lips. Upon thy altars mothers do not sacrifice their babes, nor men their rights. Thou askest naught from man except the things that good men hate—the whip, the chain, the dungeon key. Thou hast no popes, no priest, who stand between their fellow-men and thee. Thou carest not for foolish forms, or selfish prayers. At thy sacred shrine hypocrisy does not bow, virtue does not tremble, superstition's feeble tapers do not bur, but Reason holds aloft her inextinguishable torch whose holy light will one day flood the world.

Above all creeds, above all religions, after all, is that divine thing—Humanity.

We are laying the foundations of the grand temple of the future—not the temple of all the gods, but the temple of all the people—wherein, with appropriate rites, will be celebrated the religion of Humanity.

We are doing what little we can to hasten the coming of the day when society shall cease producing millionaires and mendicants—gorged idolence and famished industry—truth in rags, and superstition robed and crowned. We are looking for the time when the useful shall be the honorable; and when Reason, throned upon the world's brain, shall be King of Kings and God of Gods.

The firmament inlaid with suns is the dome of the real cathedral. The interpreters of nature are the true and only priests. In the great creed are all the truths that lips have uttered, and in the real litany will be found all the ecstasies and aspirations of the soul, all dreams of joy, all hopes for nobler, fuller life. The real church, the real edifice, is adorned and gorified with all that Art has done. In the real choir is all the thrilling music of the world and in the star-lit aisles have been, and are, the grandest souls of every land and clime.

The Law Of China

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WHEN A MAN DIES

Wills in the western sense of the wor.. were and are unknown in China. Property in China is not owned by individuals separately but by families collectively. The head of the family is regarded as having the use for life of the family property, even that acquired by himself, and he is bound to pass it on without materially altering it (1). It seems that a parent cannot dispose of his property by will so as to deprive his son or adopted sons of their inheritance (2).

The power of and respect for parents in China, however, allow exceptions to be made to this rule. Thus they may designate a particular part of the patrimony for a particular son or daughter of the family to support an unmarried daughter, and this is often done by the dying commands of the deceased. A will may be either written or verbal and need not be witnessed (3). It is usual, however, for one or more relatives to add their names when the instructions are given in writing.

ADMINISTRATION

Probate proceedings are unknown to Chinese law. Estates are ordinarily administrated without reference to the courts. The celibate widow of the deceased generally takes over the charge and control of the estate (4). Upon the death of the celibate widow her appointed executor or the elders of the family should take control of the inheritance. A testator may, however, by will appoint a secondary wife, or even someone unconnected with the family, as administrator or trustee (5). An administrator may be dismissed by the family assembly for misconduct (6). It is the practice in the International Mixed Court at Shanghai to have the administrator appointed by the Court. The reason for this seems to be that foreign firms require proper letters of administration when dealing with the representative of a decedent's estate.

INHERITANCE

The persons entitled to the family property on the death of the father are all the sons and their male descendants, regardless of whether they are sons of the principal or secondary wives (7). These divide the whole of the estate equally among themselves, grandson's getting a father's share (8). Daughters are ordinarily not entitled to any share of the family property (9). If, however, the deceased dies without any male heirs the daughters of the deceased are entitled to the family property. If the deceased has no daughters the estate goes to the Government (10).

If the daughters are married at the time of the death of the father they are no longer a part of the family, and, of course, have no claim upon it. If any of the daughters are unmarried at the time of the father's death a portion is generally set aside for their marriage expenses before division of the estate is made. If a daughter of the deceased remains unmarried the sons are under an obligation to support her, irrespective of whether she is a daughter of the principal or secondary wife (11).

THE WIDOW

As regards household furniture and personal effects of the deceased, these generally form a part of the household of the eldest son, who on this account not unfrequently gets a somewhat larger sum. No special provision is made for the widow as such, but she is amply cared for. If she is also the mother of the family she can refuse to consent to a division of the estate, in which case she has practical control of the whole inheritance, and if she is the widow of a son dying before division of the property she is entitled to the custody and management of her husband's share in trust for her sons or the adopted successor.

The father has no power to depart materially from the above scheme of distribution. Special circumstances may entitle him to allow one son a somewhat larger amount or smaller share, but generally speaking neither by will nor by gift *inter vivos* can he deprive any son of an equal or at least a substantial share.

There is no such thing as disinheriting one son in favor of the others, much less any power to grant over to a stranger. It is said that in extreme cases when a son is utterly incorrigible the father may denounce him to the authorities and solemnly expel him from the family in the presence of the assembled kindred in the Ancestral Hall, but short of this measure there is no means of cutting him off without his fair share (12).

Thus, it has been held by the Supreme Court that a written agreement made between a man and his wife wherein it is provided that the sons of his concubine can inherit one third of his property and that the rest shall go to the sons of the wife is null and void (13). The policy of Chinese Inheritance Law seems to be ideal from the standpoint of keeping the family property from getting into the hands of strangers. This is perhaps the reason why we do not hear of attempts to break wills in the Chinese courts.

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(2) Supreme Court Decision No. 661. Principles of the Law of Succession in China, page 30.

(3) China of the Chinese, page 54. Supreme Court Decisions No's. 850, 1791, 827, 181, 419, 1850 and 669.

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(8) Chinese Supreme Court Decision No. 262.

(9) Ta-Tsing-Liu-Li, Section 88, sub-section 2.

(10), (11) Supreme Court Decision's No's. 386, 813.

(12) Chinese Family and Commercial Law, by Jamieson, page 26.

(13) Supreme Court Decision No. 1458.

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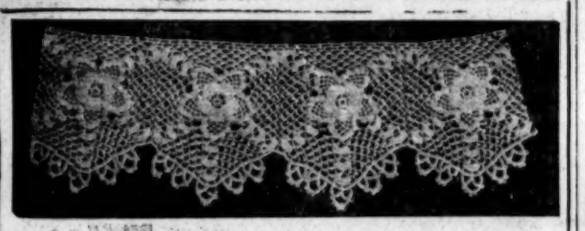

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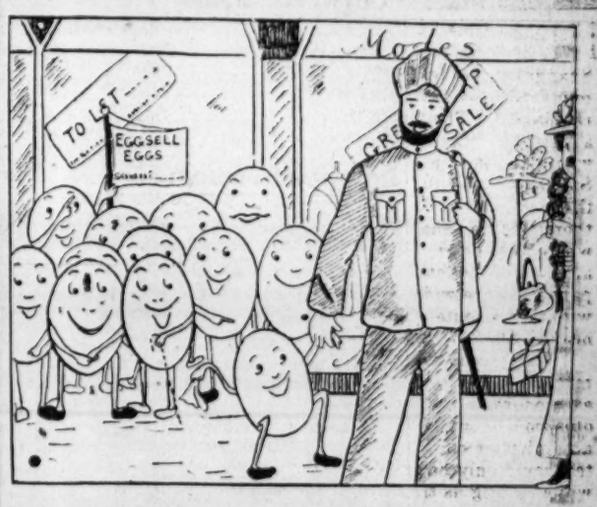

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Communications Department To Give Monetary Aid To Six Companies

The Tokio Government has announced the granting of subsidies for the present fiscal year to various regular mail steamship services in the name of the Department of Communications. There are six such services operated by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Osaka Shosen Kaisha, Nisshin Kisen Kaisha and Harada Kisen Kaisha between Yokohama and London; between Yokohama, Kobe and Seattle; between Yokohama and Melbourne; between Ichang and Chungching in the River Yangtze; between Kobe and Hongkong; and between Kobe and Tsingtao.

The Government has ordered the Nippon Yusen to operate the Yokohama-London regular passenger and mail service 26 times a year by means of the Fushimi Maru, Suwa Maru, Katori Maru, Kashima Maru, Haruna Maru, Miyazaki Maru, Hakone Maru, Hakuzan Maru, Kamo Maru, Atsuta Maru and Kitano Maru. The service is a fortnightly one. The Kobe-Seattle line is maintained by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha also and it must be operated 34 times a year according to the Government order, that is, twice every three weeks. The ships placed on the line are the Yokohama Maru, Shidzuoka Maru, Kaga Maru, Iyo Maru, Tokiwa Maru, Toyama Maru, Toyooka Maru, and Hakata Maru.

KOBE-HONGKONG SERVICE BY N. Y. K.

The Kobe-Hongkong service is operated by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha with Shanghai and Nagasaki as the intermediate ports of call on both outward and homeward trips, and it will have to be operated 17 times a year, or once every three weeks. The ships employed on it are the Yokohama Maru, Shidzuoka Maru, Kamo Maru and Iyo Maru. The Yokohama-Melbourne line is worked by the Nippon Yusen also with Nagasaki, Hongkong, Manila, Thursday Island, Townsville, Brisbane and Sydney as intermediate ports of call. The service is monthly and the Tango Maru and Aki Maru are on the route.

The Ichang-Chungching regular service was started in 1922 by the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha 24 times a year by means of the Unyo Maru and Giyo Maru. Wanghsien on the River Yangtze is the only port of call for the service. The service is maintained in the upper reach of the Yangtze. The Kobe-Tsingtao regular mail and passenger service is operated by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Osaka Shosen Kaisha and Harada Kisen Kaisha with Moji as the only port of call on both outward and homeward trips. The service will have to be plied 72 times a year or 6 times a month by means of the Kasuga Maru, Kagi Maru and Harada Maru.

NO DECISION ON VLADIVOSTOK SERVICE

No decision has yet been made by the Department of Communications as to the advisability of subsidising the Tsuruga-Vladivostok service, operated by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, because the continued operation of the line is still being considered by the Government authorities. The operation of the service at a heavy loss has been discussed a great deal lately among those interested in the service.

While the Osaka Shosen Kaisha is desirous of temporarily discontinuing the service, the Government authorities are rather in favor of maintaining it and this is also hoped for by various Japanese trade associations interested in the Siberian trade and commerce.

Weather Reports

Apr. 22.—High readings over Lake Baikal and between Kiangsu and Kiusiu. Areas of low pressures in Liaotung and on the Carolines and the Marianas. Fairly strong SE winds on the Yellow Sea and along the Yangtse. Unsteady breezes and local calms in the S. Overcast but fine weather in our Valley. Fog in the Gulf of Pechihli, at the mouth of the Yangtsze and in Kwangtung. Snow on Lake Baikal.

Apr. 23.—The pressure is slightly falling in Kiangsu and rising fairly rapidly in Shantung. Overcast and misty weather; fog at the mouth of the Yangtsze. Moderate SE breezes.

Wrecked Up-River Ship In Precarious Condition

(Reuter's Service)

Ichang, April 16.—The Pakiang, which met with a very bad accident just below Yen T'an, is reported to be lying with her stern in the air and her bows low in the water. If the river should rise rapidly, it would be a very difficult matter to salvage her.

The river remains at an extraordinary low mark. It rose about three feet a week ago, and it was expected that the spring rise had come. But, instead of continuing to rise, it has fallen again and the water-mark today is 0.2. The result is that the whole fleet of larger steamers, which expected to be able to travel on April 10, are still lying in harbor, unable to move up stream. Twenty-four steamers can now be counted in the Harbor, including three gunboats.

There are interesting things to be learned from a visit to Itu, only 20 miles down river from Ichang. The city has been given to the Kweichow Army as a training headquarters for recruits. There are now about four or five thousand men there, some of them the merest boys. Further new recruits have recently come from a distance, and close enquiry elicited the fact that many of them are brigands, formerly members of the band of the late Lao Yang Don who played such havoc in another part of this province last year.

Itu has also started a branch of the "Save Ichang Opium Prohibition Office," which, it will be remembered, is for the collection of revenue for the payment of the troops. A proclamation issued by this department, decrying the evils of opium, says that the office is there for its complete suppression. It is hard to see how face can be saved by such nonsense, legalising the trade under pretence of suppressing it.

In connection with the growing of opium, the Tao Yin has been absent from Ichang for about two months, on a visit to the prefecture of Shinan and the western cities of this prefecture. These are all hilly districts and it is learned that the Tao Yin has been visiting the magistrates of these districts to make arrangements for annual payments for the privilege of collecting taxes on poppy. Patung is to be allowed to cultivate the weed for a payment by the magistrate of $140,000 per annum; Tsikwei (formerly Kweichow) is to pay $150,000. No figures can yet be ascertained for the other districts. It appears likely that all the mountain districts will be covered with poppy this year.

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No change will be made in the sailing dates from Seattle, the day cut out at Hongkong being added to the Seattle port time.

The new schedule will become effective with the sailing of the President Jackson from Hongkong May 30. This steamer and all Admiral Line passenger steamers thereafter will remain in Hongkong only one day, southbound.

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FOR JAPAN
†Nagasaki Maru .....Apr. 25
†Shanghai Maru .....Apr. 29
Yamashiro Maru .....Apr. 26
Kumano Maru .....Apr. 30
*Omi Maru ..... May 3
Nikko Maru .....May

FOR SOUTH AMERICA VIA Cape From Kobe.
Kanagawa Maru .....Apr. 30

FOR EUROPE
*Tajima Maru .....May 9
*Matsumoto Maru .....Apr. 25
Katori Maru .....May 3
Kashima Maru .....May 31
Atsuta Maru .....May 17

FOR AUSTRALIAN PORTS
Aki Maru May 7 from Kobe
May 9 from Nagasaki
May 14 from Hongkong

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*Toba Maru .....May 8

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Shidzuoka Maru .....Apr. 30
*Muroran Maru .....May 25

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Hakodate Maru .....May 19

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, April 24, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, April 25, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

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For Southern Ports

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For Northern Ports

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The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Apr. 25	11 a.m.	P. Jefferson	Seattle	May 11
Apr. 26	1 p.m.	Shinyo Maru		

TO SOUTHERN PORTS INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Apr. 24	10 a.m.	Kamo Maru		
Apr. 24	11 a.m.	Angkor	Marseilles	
Apr. 24	3 p.m.	Pres Polk	New York	
Apr. 25	11 a.m.	Soudan		
Apr. 29	3 p.m.	Kalyan		

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	9 p.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	9 p.m.	via Chita
Chefoo & Newchwang	Today	12 m.n.	Toonan
Chefoo	Today	12 m. n.	Chekiang
Tientsin	Today	12 m. n.	Tungwah
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	1 p.m.	Chungking
Tsingtau & Dairen	Apr. 25	8 p.m	Sakaki M.
Tientsin	Apr. 26	11 p.m.	Kingsing
Tientsin	Apr. 26	12 m. n.	Shuntien
Chefoo and Newchwang	Apr. 26	12 m.n.	Foochow
Tsingtau and Newchwang	Apr. 26	12 m. n.	Pakhoi
Tsingtau	Apr. 28	12 m. n.	Kanchow
Tientsin	Apr. 29	11 p.m.	Taksang

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	10 a.m.	Kamo M.
Hongkong & Canton	Today	11 a.m.	Angkor
Amoy	Today	12 m.n.	Sulyang
Hongkong & Canton	Today	3 p.m.	Pres. Polk
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	C. of Christiana
Amoy	Apr. 25	7.30 a.m.	Taito M.
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 25	11 a.m.	Soudan
Amoy	Apr. 25	12 m.n.	Irene
Swatow	Apr. 25	12 m. n.	Sunning
Amoy	Apr. 26	12 m. n.	Szechuen
Swatow	Apr. 26	11 p.m.	Mingsang
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 26	11 a.m.	E. of Asia
Swatow	Apr. 29	11 p.m.	Kwongsang

MISCELLANEOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	9 p.m.	via Trains
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Trains
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 24	11 a.m.	Angkor
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 24	3 p.m.	Pres. Polk
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 24	10 a.m.	Kamo M.
Japan ports	Apr. 24	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Japan ports	Apr. 25	8 p.m.	Yamashiro M.
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 25	11 a.m.	Soudan
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	Apr. 26	11 a.m.	E. of Asia

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
F N B	Mar. 15	Colmar	Fr. Cruiser
	Apr. 22	S. D. Edwards	Am. Destroy.
J N B	Apr. 11	Hoga	Jap. Gun-boat
	Apr. 21	Hira	Jap. Gun-boat
O D W	.....	Penguin	Am. Gun-boat
O D W	Feb. 14	Pigeon	Am. Gun-boat
F N B	Apr. 17	Huron	Am. Cruiser
Pootung	Apr. 19	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat

Vessels Due

Aso Maru, *Japan* .....Apr. 24
Automodon, *Europe* .....Apr. 25
Benares, *Gothenburg* .....Apr. 26
Chengtu, *Newchwang* .....Apr. 26
Dacre Castle, *New York* ..Apr. 24
Empress of Asia, *Vancouver* .....Apr. 25
Esang, *Antung* .....Apr. 26
Eumaeus, *Dairen* .....Apr. 24
Hacan, *Foochow* .....Apr. 24
Hannawa, *Portland* .....May 14
Heinkong, *Hongkong* .....Apr. 26
Inkum, *Portland Ore.* .....Apr. 30
Kanchow, *Hongkong* .....Apr. 27
Kashima Maru, *Hongkong* Apr. 25
Kingsing, *Tientsin* .....Apr. 25
Kungwo, *Yangtse ports* ...Apr. 27
Kwongsang, *Tsingtau* .....Apr. 28
Loongwo, *Yangtse ports* ..Apr. 24
Luchow, *Hongkong* .....Apr. 23
Luenho, *Yangtse ports* ....Apr. 26
Mingsang, *Yangtse ports* ..Apr. 25
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki* Apr. 24
Ngankin, *Hankow* .....Apr. 24
Pakhoi, *Hongkong* .....Apr. 30
Paul Lecat, *Marseilles* ....Apr. 35
Pres. Jefferson, *Manila* ....Apr. 24
Pres. Monroe, *San Francisco* May 6
Pres. Polk, *San Francisco* .Apr. 22
Shuntien, *Tientsin* .....Apr. 25
Sunning, *Tsingtau* .....Apr. 24
Szechuen, *Hongkong* .....Apr. 24
Taisang, *Swatow* .....Apr. 26
Teucer, *Taku* .....Apr. 24
Tonjer, *Chinwangtao* .....Apr. 23
Unita, *Chinwangtao* .....Apr. 24
West Coyote, *Portland Ore.* Apr. 24
Wingsang, *Swatow* .....Apr. 28
Yatshing, *Swatow* .....Apr. 25
Yoseric, ...Apr. 30

Steamers Departed

President Cleveland for Hongkong
Nikko Maru for Japan and Manila
Hallfield for .....
Storviker for .....
Saikio Maru for Tsingtau
Talee Maru for Yangtse Ports
Hsinfung for Caefoo and Tientsin
Hsinchi for Foochow
Taishun for Hongkong and Canton
Ningshin for Foochow
Tehhsing for Yangtse Ports
Luenyi for Yangtse Ports
Fengtien for Tientsin
Yusang for Tientsin
Tuckwo for Yangtse Ports
Kwongsang for Tsingtao
Shantung for Canton
Kienhsin for Native Customs

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The tender conveying passengers and mail for the T.K.K. s.s. Shinyo Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 10 a.m. on Saturday morning.

Sailed from Shanghai

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Pres. Mckinley .....Apr. 3
Pres. Lincoln .....Apr. 13

FOR VANCOUVER
Empress of Asia .....Mar. 16
Empress Russia .....Apr. 6
Empress of Australia ..Apr. 21
Empress of Canada ..Apr. 22

FOR PORTLAND ORE.
West Orowa .....Mar. 18
West Kader .....Mar. 19

FOR SEATTLE
Alabama Maru .....Apr. 16
President Madison ...Mar. 20
President Jackson ....Apr. 13

FOR NEW YORK
Knight Templar ..... Mar. 17
Alaska Maru .....Mar. 22
Edenton .....Mar. 27
President Adams ....Mar. 28
President Garfield ....Apr. 10
Keemion .....Apr. 17
President Polk .....Apr. 24

FOR UNITED KINGDOM
China ..... Apr. 15
Tsushima Maru .....Apr. 16
Bellerophon .....Mar. 15
Naldera .....Mar. 18
Rhexenor .....Mar. 19
Kitano Maru .....Mar. 22
City of York .....Mar. 26
Merlones .....Mar. 26
Nellore .....Apr. 13
Sarpedon .....Apr. 17

FOR HAMBURG
Nienburg .....Apr. 14
Atsuta Maru .....Apr. 17

FOR COPENHAGEN
Canton .....Mar. 23

FOR BARCELONIA
Legazpi .....Mar. 21

FOR MARSEILLES
Porthos .....Mar. 27
Amazone .....Apr. 10

FOR INDIA
Tamba Maru .....Mar. 20
Misty Law .....Mar. 21
Sicilia .....Mar. 24

Steamers Arrived

Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo
Hsin Peking from Ningpo
Suiyang from Hongkong
Kasama from Hongkong
Meian from Yangtse Ports
Saarland from Hamburg
Kutwo from Yangtse Ports
Times from Chinwangtao

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MESSAGERIES MARITIMES, SERVICES CONTRACTUELS

Mail Steamers	Next sailing from Marseilles	Probable sailing for Kobe and Yokohama	Probable sailing for Marseilles
ANGKOR			24th Apr.
CHAMBORD		22nd Apr., 1924	8th May
PAUL LECAT	20th Mar.	2nd May, 1924	15th May
ANDRE LEBON	27th Mar.	9th May., 1924	22nd May
AMBOISE	10th April	23rd May	5th June
CHANTILLY	24th April	6th June	19th June

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Thursday, April 24, at 2.30 p.m.
In Middle Salesroom Household Furniture, Clothing and Sundries

Friday, April 25, at 10 a.m.
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LARGE AND SMALL TRAVELLING TRUNKS, Leather suit cases, SATIN EMBROIDERED WALL HANGINGS, Glass ware, Dinner crockery, Porcelain flower vases, Tapestray covered spring sofa and Arm Chairs, "SINGER" TREAD SEWING MACHINE, OLD CHINESE CURIOS, BOOKS AND NOVELS, LARGE AND SMALL CARPETS, Soochow curtains, Brass ware, electric table fan, Marble clock, Scale, Overmantle picture, Electric toaster and iron, Child's wicker cot with mattress, Inverted lamp shade with chains, Large ice chest, Brass fenders, LARGE MIRROR BACK SIDEBOARD AND CELLARETTE, Dining chairs, Mah-jong sets and Sundries etc. etc.

ALSO

A Large assortment of Gent's And Lady's clothing boots and shoes, etc.

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No. 48 Range Road
On Friday, April 25, 1924
Commencing at 10 a.m.

COMPRISING:—

HALL: Carved teak bevelled mirror back hat and umbrella stand, hall chair and table, hat rack, picture, jardiniere stand, etc.,
DRAWING ROOM: Axminster carpet, solid brass fender, coal box, fire brasses, tapestry upholstered double spring couch and arm chairs, teak centre table, teak curio cabinet, escritoire, teak bevelled mirror back chiffonier, flower stands, teapoy, dumb waiter, fancy lace curtains, oil painting and coloured pictures, Chinese porcelain and cloisonne ware, etc.,
DINING ROOM: Brussels carpet, carved teak bevelled mirror back Sideboard, cellarette, extension dining table, and chairs, 3-fold screen, silver ware cabinet, tapestry upholstered arm chair, photograph, porcelain ware, E.P. Cutlery and glass ware, crockery table linen, Soochow curtains, Oscillating Table Fan, etc.,
CONTENTS OF 2 BEDROOMS: Matting, overmantle, Teak bevelled mirror door wardrobes, dressing tables, chest of drawers, washstand, pedestals, chairs, double and single bedsteads, arm chairs, bed linen, linen cupboard, curtains, pictures, etc.,

also

Canteen set in oak case.
Fancy Silver and E. P. Ware.

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On Friday, April 25, 1924
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IN FRONT SALESROOM
On Saturday, April 26, 1924
Commencing at 10 a.m.

Excellent Household Furniture, Wireless Telephone Receiving Set, Piano Player by Steck with 39 Roll Records, Diamond Ring and Dogs, and Sundries

COMPRISING:—

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Apr. 25	3.00 New York via Suez	†P. Polk	Am. Dollar Co.
Apr. 25	— Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Apr. 25	— Vancouver, etc.	C. Winner	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 26	— San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Apr. 27	— New York	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 30	— Portland Ore.	West Coyote	Am. Lumber Co.
May 8	— San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
May 8	— New York	Toba Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 10	— Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C. P. S.
May 16	— Portland	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
May 18	— New York	Havana Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
May 18	— Seattle	Shidzouka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 19	— Seattle	†P Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
May 21	— Tacoma, Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
May 24	— San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
May 25	— San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
May 31	— San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Apr. 25	— Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Apr. 26	— Japan	Yamashiro Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Apr. 29	— Japan	Shanghai M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Apr. 30	— Japan	Kumano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 3	— Japan	Omi Maru	Jap N. Y. K.
May 7	— Japan	Nikko Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 29	— Japan	Amur Maru	Jap. O.S.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Apr. 23	— Hamburg, etc.	Glenogle	Br. G.L.E.A.
Apr. 24	London, etc.	Kamo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Apr. 24	— Rotterdam	Alderamin	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Apr. 24	2.00 Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Apr. 25	— Rotterdam, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Apr. 27	— Singapore, Java	W. Faralon	Am. S. & B.
Apr. 27	— Liverpool	†Teucer	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 29	— London, etc.	†Kalyan	Br. M. M. & Co.
Apr. 29	— Hamburg, etc.	Coblenz	Ger. Mel. & Co,
Apr. 30	— London	Eumeans	Br. B. & S.
May 3	— London, etc.	†Katori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 8	— Marseilles	Chambord	Fr. M. M. Cie.
May 9	— Europe	Tavmia Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 13	— London	†Plassy	Br. M. M. & Co.
May 14	— Liverpool	†Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
May 15	— Liverpool	Rhesus	Br. B. & S.
May 15	— Marseilles	Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
May 20	— London	†Kashmir	Br. M.M. & Co.
May 20	— Rotterdam	Oostkerk	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
May 22	— Hamburg, etc.	A. von Baeyer	Ger. H S. Line
May 22	— Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr. M. M. Cie
May 25	— Bombay	Murorun Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 26	— London	Andes Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
May 28	— Europe	Aunder Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
May 27	— London	†Khiva	Br. M. M. Co.
June 5	— Marseilles	Amboise	Fr. M. M. Cie
June 10	— London	†Kashgar	Br. M. M & Co.
June 11	— London	†Mentor	Br. B. & S.
June 16	— Rotterdam	Anderkerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co.
June 19	— Marseilles	Chantilly	Fr. M.M. Cie
June 24	— London	†Morea	Br. M. M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Apr. 30	— Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albana	Br. M.M. & Co.
May 28	— Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Apr. 24	— D.L. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 25	D.L. Amoy	Sulyang	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 26	D.L. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 26	M. Amoy, Swatow	Irene	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 27	D.L. Amoy, Hongkong	Szechuen	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 27	D.L. Amoy	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 30	— Hongkong, Manila	Shidzouka Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Apr. 24	M. Chefoo, Newchwang	Toonan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 24	D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Chungching	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 25	M. Tientsin	Tungwah	Chi C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 25	D.L. Chefoo	Chekiang	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 27	D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 27	D.L. Chefoo, Newchwang	Foochow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 27	D.L. Tsingtau, N'chwang	Pakhoi	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 28	— Chinwangtao	Patriot	Br. K. M. A.
Apr. 29	D.L. Tsingtau, N'chwang	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Apr. 24	M.N. Hankow	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 24	M.N. Hankow	Sulwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Apr. 25	M.N. Hankow	Luchow	Br. J.M. & Co.
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Apr. 25	M.N. Hankow	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 26	M.N. Hankow	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 28	M.N. Hankow	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 29	M.N. Hankow	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 28	M.N. Hankow	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
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The B. & S. s.s. Ngankin is expected to arrive from Hankow this morning at noon.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Haean which left Foochow Tuesday at noon is due to arrive in Shanghai today at noon.

The B. & S. s.s. Szechuen is expected here this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The B. & S. s.s. Luchow is due from Hongkong and Amoy tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

The B & S. s.s. Kanchow is expected to arrive from Hongkong and Amoy Sunday at 8 a.m.

The B. & S. s.s. Pakhoi is due from Swatow this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

NORTHERN PORTS

The B. & S. s.s. Shuntien is expected to arrive here from Tientsin about 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The B. & S. s.s. Chengtu is due in Shanghai from Newchwang at 4 p.m. Saturday afternoon.

The K.M.A. s.s. Tonjer is expected in Shanghai from Chinwangtao tomorrow. The steamer left Chinwangtao on Monday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Patriot which left Chinwangtao Tuesday is due here tomorrow afternoon.

The B. & S. s.s. Sunning is due to arrive from Tsingtau this morning at 8 o'clock.

The K.M.A. s.s. Unita which left Chinwangtao Monday is due to arrive in Shanghai today.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kamo Maru arrived in Shanghai yesterday from Moji. The steamer will probably sail for Hongkong today.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru arrived in Shanghai yesterday from Moji for a one day stop before her return to Japan.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai today from Nagasaki and is due to sail for Nagasaki tomorrow.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Aso Maru arrived in Shanghai today from Moji and is scheduled to sail for Nagoya on Sunday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima Maru is due in Shanghai tomorrow from Hongkong and is expected to sail for Kobe on Saturday.

INDIAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Takada on her way to Shanghai left Calcutta last Sunday morning and is due here on May. 9.

EUROPEAN LINES

The Blue Funnel s.s. Automedon left Hongkong enroute to Shanghai from European ports last Tuesday. The steamer is due here tomorrow.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Theseus departed from Singapore on her way to Shanghai from European ports Tuesday. The liner is expected to arrive in Shanghai May 2.

The P. & O. s.s. Nagpore from European ports was due to leave Colombo yesterday for Shanghai.

The P. & O. s.s. Alipore from European ports was scheduled to leave Bombay Tuesday for Shanghai.

The S.E. s.s. Benares which left Gothenburg March 13 is expected to arrive in Shanghai Saturday.

The P. & O. s.s Khiva will leave London on April 28 at 6 p.m. for Shanghai and is due in Shanghai May 5.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashgar left London at 3 p.m. last Friday enroute for Shanghai.

The French Mail s.s. Paul Lecat with French mail of March 20 will leave Saigon on Friday. The liner is due in Shanghai Friday, April 25.

The French Mail s.s. Andre Lebon with mail from Marseilles March 27 is due to arrive Shanghai from Marseilles Friday, May 2.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar s.s. President Harrison is due to leave San Francisco today for the Orient. The Round the world liner is due in Shanghai May 20.

The Dollar s.s. President Van Buren sailed from New York on April 17 for a round the world cruise.

The Admiral Line s.s. President Jefferson is due in Shanghai from Manila and Hongkong Thurs-Manila and Hongkong today. The liner will sail tomorrow at 1 p.m. for America via Japan ports.

The Dollar s.s. President Monroe was to sail from San Francisco Monday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Panama and San Francisco on May 6.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow from Vancouver. The liner will dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf at 6 p.m. She will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Saturday at 1 p.m.

The Dollar s.s. President Polk arrived in Shanghai yesterday morning and docked at the Dollar Wharf in Pootung. The steamer is from New York via Panama and will return to New York Friday morning at 5 o'clock via Suez.

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